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COMMENT OF THE DAY

The Typhoid Menace

Dr. Shaw's disclosures regarding the menace of typhoid in Hongkong leave no further room for complacency on the part of the general public. The dangers of a serious epidemic are real and they cannot be disregarded either by officials or the community. The Deputy Director of Health Services takes the public to task for neglecting ordinary hygienic precautions, thus contributing to the spread of disease. There is a measure of justification for the criticism, yet it may be reasonably pleaded that if the community tends to show indifference to the dangers of epidemics it is in small part due to the emphasis which in recent years has been laid on the Colony's healthiness and decreasing incidence of disease. Official reports have "played up" comparative figures to illustrate the relatively high standard of health in Hongkong, and the public, by and large, have allowed themselves to be misled into a state of complacency and smug satisfaction.

PRIMARILY it is the duty of restaurant proprietors and eating house owners to see that the spreading of typhoid germs is minimised by preparing and serving food under hygienic conditions, and first responsibility for ensuring that the terms of their licences are strictly obeyed must continue to rest with the Urban Council. Dr. Shaw's plea that the law for violations be imposed will be warmly applauded by the community. It is a proposal which commands the earnest attention of the Urban Council and the Courts. Less easy is it for the Authorities to secure the willing and enthusiastic co-operation of the public to practise elementary hygiene and sanitation and to insist that these conditions exist when purchasing food in licensed eating houses. Nevertheless it is possible to stimulate interest and action in this direction, and one helpful method might be to have posters prominently displayed in Chinese restaurants reminding customers of the dangers inherent in eating food served in unclean utensils and prepared in unsanitary conditions.

BIG THREE REPEAT PROPOSAL FOR GERMAN REUNION TALKS

Free Elections As First Item On The Agenda

London, Sept. 24.

The Governments of the United States, Britain and France in identical notes presented in Moscow, have renewed their proposal for a four-power conference on German reunion, at which the first issue to be discussed would be the holding of free elections throughout East and West Germany.

The proposal is essentially the same as that put forward by the three Western Governments in their note to Russia of July 10.

The text of the notes presented in Moscow yesterday was released here tonight.

The Western Governments have rejected the proposal in the latest Soviet note to the West on the German problem of August 23 that the negotiation of a German Peace Treaty and the formation of an all-German Government should be discussed before the holding of all-German elections.

The Western powers state that on the terms they outline the four-power meeting could take place in October.

In the note, the three Western powers appeal to the Soviet Government "after consultation with the German Federal Government and the German authorities in Berlin" to consider their refusal "to join the other powers in a single-minded effort, thus to come to grips with the problem of free elections in Germany."

"The Western note again summarises the case for using the holding of free elections as a stepping stone to the formation of an all-German Government and for negotiating a peace treaty until such a Government is in being."

SHIFTS GROUND

The Western note accuses the Soviet Government of having "shifted its ground" since the note exchange on German reunion started last March on the question of German participation in peace treaty negotiations.

"The new Western note states categorically that the Western Governments cannot accept the current Soviet position that Germans should only be represented at treaty negotiations by representatives from the Soviet zone and Western Germany 'during the discussion' of relevant questions."

A peace treaty must be negotiated and accepted by the representatives of an all-German Government, who would be responsible for carrying it out.

The Western powers maintain that the method of negotiating a peace treaty, which would

have been suitable immediately after the end of the war, is not suitable in 1952.

The note states: "Any other procedure would mean a dictated treaty. That indeed would be an insult to the German nation."

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It is for the German people to choose between these alternative ways of life and that this choice must be made in "genuine freedom and full responsibility."

The Western powers reject the Soviet suggestion that the investigating commission, should be composed of Germans themselves drawn from the East and the West.

An all-German commission would be no more capable than a four-power commission, already rejected by the Western powers, of being impartial.

The Western note states that this proposal was in effect put forward as long ago as September 1951 by the Soviet authorities and rejected by the West German Bundestag (Parliament), which demanded investigation by a genuinely impartial body.

But the Western powers again undertake to discuss "any practical and precise proposals" on the formation of the investigating commission.

Commenting on the Soviet attack on the contractual agreements between West Germany and the Western occupation powers, which are to end the occupation status in the West and on the setting up of the European Defence Community with West Germany as a member, the note reaffirms that the agreements are "purely defensive and threaten no one."

KEEPING DOOR OPEN

In so far as any powers have been retained in Western Germany by the Western powers, "a fundamental consideration has been to safeguard the principle of German unity and to keep the door open for agreement with the Soviet Union on German unification."

The Western note was shown to the Atlantic Pact Permanent Council in Paris before transmission and was discussed by it, but the British, French and United States Governments are alone responsible for its terms.

It is the fourth note from the Western Powers replying to the fourth note from Russia on the problem of German reunion since the issue was reopened by Moscow on March 10.—Reuter.

WEST BERLIN KIDNAPPING

Berlin, Sept. 23.

West Berlin police reported today that Russian Tommy-gunners crossed into the American sector's southern tip last night and abducted two officials of the West Berlin International Board of Services.

The pair had not returned to West Berlin by noon today.

It was the second kidnapping of members of the border force this month. City officials said they would press Allied authorities anew for permission to arm these men.—Associated Press.

ON PATROL IN MALAYA JUNGLE



This picture was taken by a British Sergeant as he lay in ambush with a patrol of 30 men in Malaya. He wrote, "We were expecting a number of bandits to come along a certain path. We started out in the pouring rain at 3 a.m., so that darkness would cover our approach. It was tricky work. The rain stopped at 8 a.m. An hour and a half later we heard bandits moving through the jungle in a totally different direction. One or two moved towards me until they were no more than 10 yards away. Someone fired. Then everyone let loose. I shot two rounds through the foliage. Six rounds, presumably from a Sten gun, came back and hit the ground a yard from my nose. The bandits got away."—London Express.

Churchill & Eden Informed Of Pacific Council Rebuff

LONDON FEELS IRKED

London, Sept. 23.

The Prime Minister, Mr. Winston Churchill, and the Foreign Secretary, Mr. Anthony Eden, both of whom are on the Continent, were informed by urgent messages today of the American rejection of a British request to sit in on the current meetings of the Pacific Council in Honolulu.

Britain had asked to have observers at the meetings of the representatives of the United States, Australia and New Zealand working on plans for the defence of the Pacific area.

The reply from the three nations was negative and British diplomatic officials were astonished and more than a little irked.

The Foreign Office advised Mr. Churchill, now vacationing on the Riviera, and Mr. Eden who flew from Yugoslavia to Vienna, about the rejection.

The subject of what Britain considers her exclusion from an arena where she has vital interests was expected to be raised as soon as Mr. Churchill and Mr. Eden return to Britain and a protest possibly made to the United States Government.

BAFFLES

British diplomats said that they were baffled at the American attitude and said frankly that they felt that Australia and New Zealand wanted Britain represented but had bowed to pressure.

Observers thought that the rejection was based on two grounds:

1.—If Britain entered into the workings of the Pacific Council other nations, notably France, Holland and the Philippines, would also demand representation.

2.—British entry into the organisation would be looked upon by Asians as "ganging up" of the white race against the Orient.

Officials here looked on the second reason as "nonsense" and also questioned the logic of the first, pointing to the major role Britain played in the Far East in the last war and the fact that Singapore is the key base in Pacific defence.

The matter has ranked even more because it obviously represents a tendency for the United States to displace Britain as the nation to which two key members of the British Commonwealth look for leadership.—United Press.

PAPER'S COMMENT

London, Sept. 24.

The Daily Mail, in an editorial today, said it was strange that Britain, whose claim to be a Pacific Power had been underlined by the Women's experiments, should be standing cap

Strange Last Request

London, Sept. 23.

The widow of a British Member of Parliament directed that after her death a surgeon should put a knife into her heart and sever her wrist arteries before cremation.

This was revealed today in the £44,113 will of Mrs. Katherine Duncan Scott, whose husband, Mr. A. H. Scott, had been MP for Ashton-under-Lyne.

The will also insisted that there should be a witness to the surgeon's act and that the surgeon should be paid £10.—Reuter.

Pre-Shooting Conversation Overheard

Munich, Sept. 23.

An alleged bedroom conversation just before the fatal shooting of an American Air Force soldier, Dan P. Wage, 25, today in a United States High Commission Court, trying his blonde 19-year-old wife for the slaying.

Elizabeth Bartl, 28, German dancer of an American Air Force soldier, testified that she met Wage on July 28, and went with him to his apartment at Fuerstendruck air base near Munich. She said the door was opened by Wisconsin-born Mrs. Wage, who called out to her husband "hey."

Miss Bartl said she sat in the living room while Mr. and Mrs. Wage went into the bedroom. Miss Bartl said she overheard the following conversation:

Wage: "Look what I have brought home."

Wife: "You will have to take the girl back."

Wage: "Yes, I will take her to town."

At that point Miss Bartl said she heard shots and ran downstairs for help.

Earlier she testified that she knew Wage "went out with many girls."

Mrs. Wage, mother of two infant daughters has pleaded not guilty to the murder. The prosecution claimed that she confessed to the crime to a special US agent on the night of the shooting.—Reuter.

Undersea Volcano

Tokyo, Sept. 23.

An undersea volcano 200 miles south of Tokyo erupted this morning, throwing up a huge column of water and smoke like an atomic bomb "mushroom," a Japanese survey party reported by radio.

The party, headed by Professor Takekazu Kumagai, of the Tokyo Fisheries College, in a 250-ton training ship, reported that today's eruption threw up a towering column of water about 100 feet in diameter and also massive blasts of smoke which took on the shape of an "atom bomb" cloud.

The cloud broke up at an altitude of 19,000 feet.—Reuter.

Lived Like Animal For Six Weeks

'Nature Girl' Found In Orchard

Lynfield, Mass., Sept. 23.

A beautiful auburn haired "nature girl" who ran away from home rather than face medical treatment, was found nearly starved on Monday night in an apple orchard where she had lived like an animal for six weeks.

Marilyn Rich, 20, had lived on apples, nuts and berries and was suffering from malnutrition when she was found only a quarter of a mile from her home.

Her face was black with dirt and her hair was matted and caked with mud. The Police said that she had lost 50 pounds during her 41 days in the outdoors, dropping from 135 pounds to 85.

Marilyn was found by policemen who were called out by her former high school chum, Shirley McLaughlin, 22, who caught a glimpse of a ragged figure darting through the orchard when her motorcar's headlights pierced the darkness.

TURNED BACK

"At first I kept on driving," Miss McLaughlin said. "Then I turned the car around and went. I don't know why, but thank God I did. I drove by the spot three times before I realised that it was a woman by the roadside. I drove closer and saw that it was Marilyn. We went through high school together but I hardly recognised her."

Miss McLaughlin notified the Police and went back with the Chief of Police, Mr. William Foley, and Patrolman Frank Martin.

"Suddenly we saw her underneath a tree," Miss McLaughlin said. "Her face was black. Her clothing was black. Her hair was matted. She called my name and said 'It's a good thing I bumped into you, Shirley.'"

Marilyn replied incoherently to questions put to her by the Police officers and Miss McLaughlin without resistance.

At the Police Station Dr. Thomas White examined Marilyn and said that she was suffering from malnutrition and exposure. He said that her condition was "poor" and ordered the Police not to question her further until she had regained her strength.—United Press.

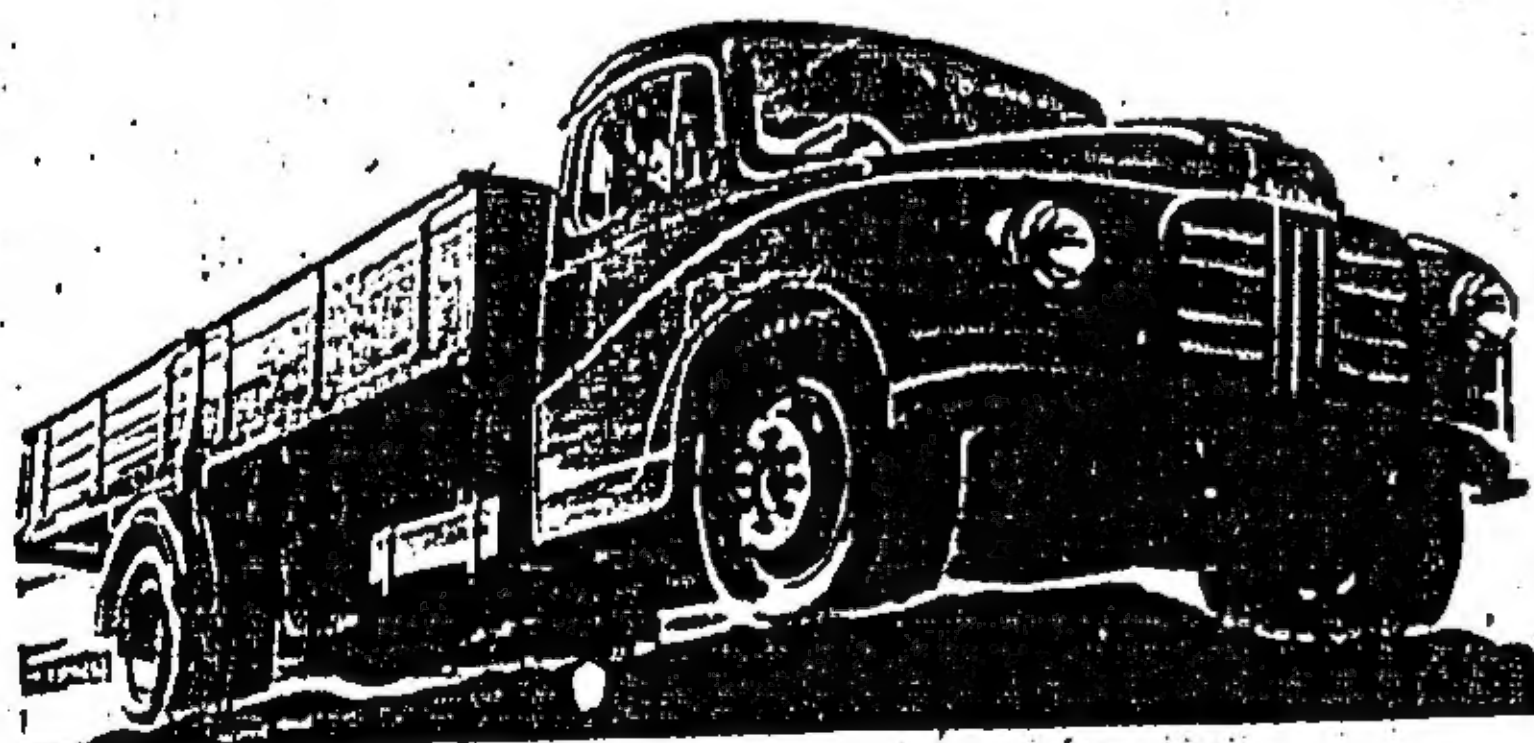
Tornado Strikes

Dacca, Pakistan, Sept. 23.

A tornado swept across Dinajpur, East Pakistan today, uprooting thousands of trees and whirling corrugated iron sheets into the air.

Four persons were reported seriously injured.—Associated Press.

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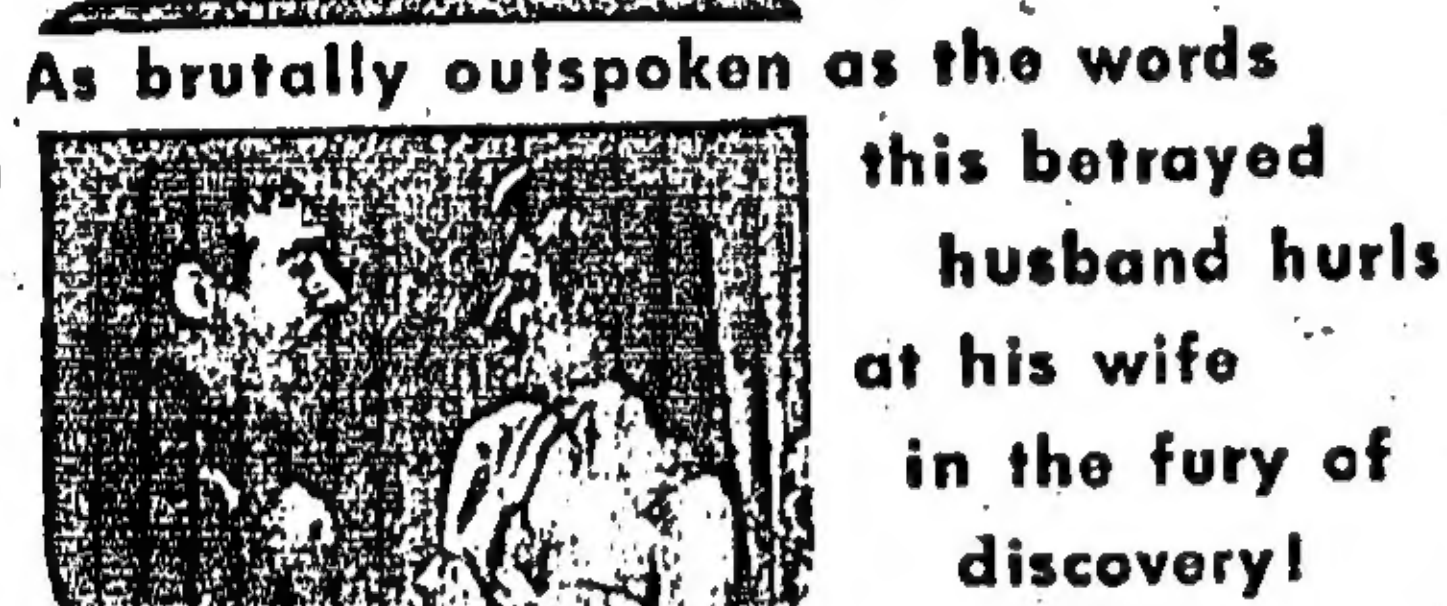
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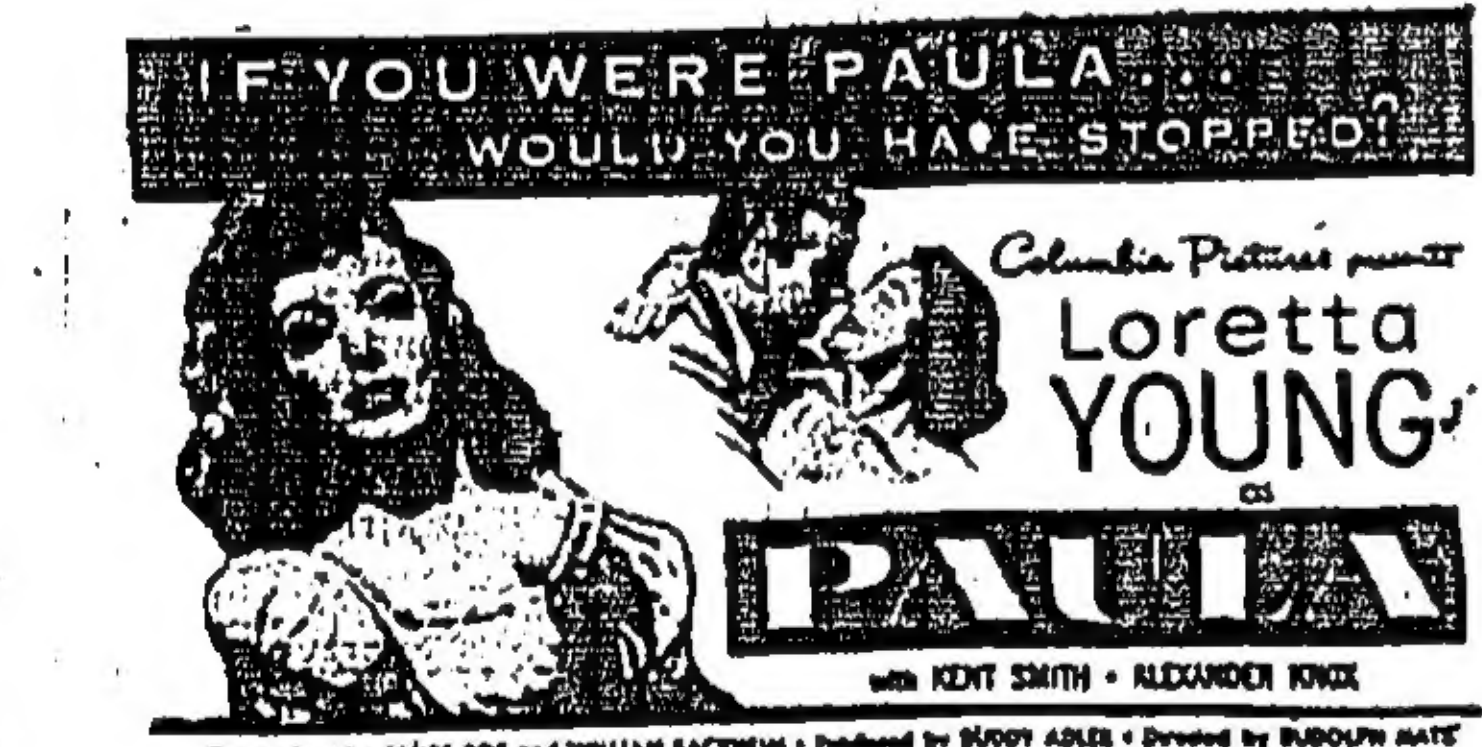


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Political Storm In Egypt: Naguib Policy Is Outlined

The Problem In Asia

Singapore, Sept. 23. The standard of living of Asians will never be improved unless a check is made on the increasing population of Southeast Asia. Dr. John Matthal, a leading economist and former Finance Minister in India, said in Singapore. The birth rate in this part of the world has become a crucial problem. The population of India rose 3,500,000 last year, and the proportionate increase in Ceylon was greater still. "A check on the birth rate in Western countries will bring about a comparable rise in the standard of living," Dr. Matthal declared. — Associated Press.

SUDANESE LEADER'S VISIT TO BRITAIN

London, Sept. 23. Sir Abdul Rahman al Mahdi Pasha, Sudanese political and religious leader, due to fly to London tomorrow, will discuss the future of the Sudan during his visit.

The official object of Mahdi Pasha's visit is for medical consultations with London specialists, but it is considered certain that questions affecting the future of his country will be raised when he meets the Foreign Secretary, Mr. Anthony Eden, next week.

The future of the Sudan may also be raised when the new Egyptian Ambassador to Britain, Mohamed Fawzi, arrives in London next Monday.

The British Government is now preparing to bring into force a new constitution in the Sudan, which will provide that country with a two-chamber legislative body on November 1. This constitution has not been endorsed by any Egyptian Government.

After the new constitution comes into force, elections are due to be held throughout the Sudan in November or December.

Current issues in the Sudan were discussed with Foreign Office officials this afternoon by an official of the United States State Department, Mr. Frank Ortiz, who earlier this month visited Khartoum and other districts.

Mr. Ortiz is now passing through London on his way back to Washington.—Reuter.

Inquiry Into Press

New Delhi, Sept. 23. A Press Commission is to inquire into "the state of the Press in India and its present and future lines of development," the Indian Government announced today.

The Commission, whose Chairman will be the Bombay High Court Judge, Mr. C. S. Rajadhyaksha, will inquire into the question of the freedom of the Press and examine the structure and ownership of the Press, the working of monopolies, journalistic conditions of employment and also questions relating to newspaper and composing machinery.—Reuter.

LABOUR PARTY DELEGATION

London, Sept. 23. The Labour Party is to send a delegation to the Socialist International to be held in Milan, Italy, from October 17 to October 21. The Labour Party's Secretary-General, Mr. Morgan Phillips, will be among the delegation.—France-Press.

Cairo, Sept. 23.

The Egyptian Minister of State, Fathy Radwan, declared tonight that General Naguib's government bore no ill-will against any political party "but is determined that all shall abide by the laws."

He made this statement on behalf of Premier Naguib to clarify the Government policy towards political parties and particularly the political storm which has developed over Mustafa el Nahas.

The Minister of State declared: "The Government does not harbour hatred or grudge against any party or individual, but the laws it has passed apply to all citizens irrespective of age, position, or personal consideration."

He added: "When General Naguib assumed the Premiership he assured Cabinet colleagues that the Army would not interfere with the internal affairs of political parties and it is up to each and all of them to purge themselves of corrupt elements."

The Minister of State added that General Naguib told a Wafdist delegation, composed of Dr. Mohamed Salah el Din, Abdel Salam Fahmy, and Ibrahim Farrag, that Mustafa el Nahas enjoyed every respect but "if there is any objection against his assuming the Presidency of the Wafd by the new law, it will be carried out."

A spokesman of the Wafd Party said that the name of Mustafa el Nahas would figure with those of the founder members of the party in the official notification of reorganisation of the Wafd, which will be sent to the Ministry of the Interior tomorrow in accordance with the new law.

RIGHT TO OBJECT
A Ministry spokesman said that the Vice-Premier, Soliman Hafez, as Minister of the Interior, had the right to object to any name in the party lists. In this case the matter would be decided by the new law.

British Trawler Owners Retaliate

Hull, Sept. 23. Hull trawler owners announced today that they have decided to withdraw landing facilities for Icelandic-owned trawlers.

This follows an announcement by the Icelandic Government last May that it was extending its territorial limits from three to four miles.

British ships which had fished the area for half a century were banned from what they claimed were some of the finest fishing grounds in the world.

An official protest was sent to the Icelandic Government on the ban in a note on June 18 and subsequently a reply was pressed for in July.

The president of the Hull fishing vessel owners' association, H. Wight, said today: "We are not offering the Icelandic facilities at present. One of the main things which has influenced our decision is that we know there is a tremendous feeling among our fishermen against the Icelandic high-handed attitude in its sympathy we have for the time being refused our facilities."

The association's facilities are the use of dockside winches for landing fish catches. But other facilities indirectly affected are the supply of coal, oil and ice to the ships.

It is understood that trawler owners in the nearby port of Grimsby are considering similar action.—Reuter.

Ontario Strike Ends

Hamilton, Ontario, Sept. 23. A 16-week strike at the Firestone Tyre and Rubber Plant here ended today when 1,400 employees voted overwhelmingly to accept an eight cents per hour wage increase.—United Press.

Chaplin Case Reaction

British Criticism Of American Action

London, Sept. 23. Still a British citizen despite his 40 years in America, Mr. Charles Chaplin was reluctant today to talk about the inquiry ordered by the United States Attorney-General, Mr. J. P. McGranery, to determine whether Mr. Chaplin should be readmitted to America.

Mr. Chaplin arrived at Waterloo Station on the boat train from the liner Queen Elizabeth today. Cheering and shouting crowds mobbed the film comedian and police had to force a way through the crowds for his car to take him, his wife and their four children to the Savoy Hotel.

A woman carrying a baby shouted "Stop here Charlie. There's no place like home."

Turning to his wife, Mr. Chaplin said, "What a wonderful welcome! Londoners haven't changed a bit."

The little white-haired clown had tears in his eyes at the warmth of his welcome here, where he was a slum kid over 60 years ago.

British newspapers, publishing column upon column about Mr. Chaplin and splashing big photographs of him on the front pages, were critical of the American decision.

LOW'S CARTOON

The Labour Daily Herald boomed in an editorial: "The threat to Mr. Chaplin because of his alleged opinions is making America look ridiculous in the eyes of the world."

The most bitter comment of all was a sketch in the same paper by the famed political cartoonist, David Low.

Over the caption "American Way of Life," it showed Mr. Chaplin, with the familiar moustache, walking stick and baggy trousers being chased by a posse of comic American policemen in an antiquated motor-car labelled "Keystone Immigration cops."

In the foreground was a Soviet cameraman shooting the scene.

Almost a lone voice in the hubbub of indignation was the Conservative Daily Telegraph, which declared that there was no reason why anyone in Britain should get excited about Mr. Chaplin's problem.

For the last 40 years he had refused to apply for American citizenship, "while showing no enthusiasm for throwing in his lot with his native land," the paper said.

It is Mr. Chaplin's first visit to his native land for 21 years. He is here to attend the premiere of his new film "Limelight"—Reuter.

Milanese May Sail To Work

Milan, Sept. 23. Citizens of Milan may soon sail to work through mid-air, hanging from a sturdy steel cable.

The Municipal Council is studying a plan to build an aerial tramway in an effort to cope with growing traffic congestion in this town of 1,300,000 people. Italy's second city after Rome and nerve centre of her industry and commerce.

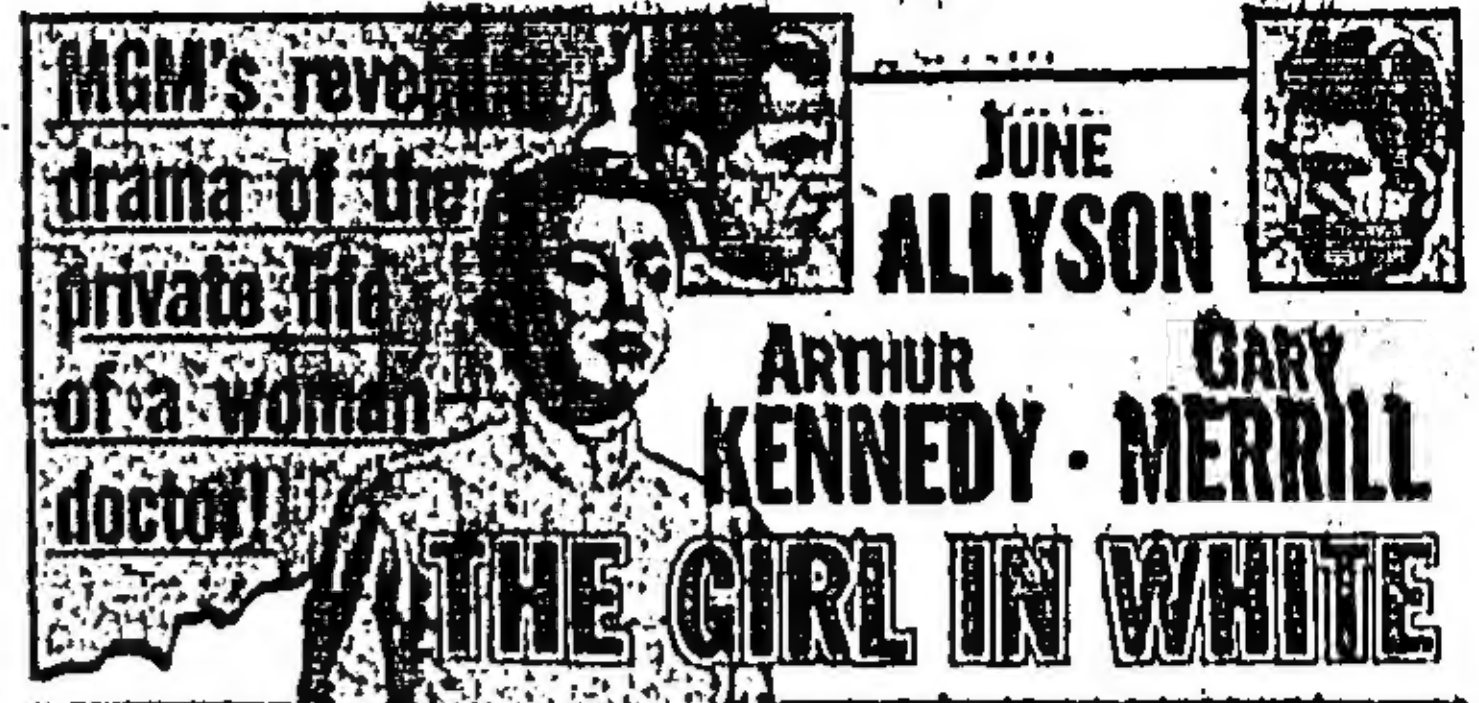
Many Milanese have gradually come round to backing the plan. Quite apart from helping to untangle traffic knots, an aerial tramway would give them a new angle for viewing the city.

The line, looping the centre of the city, would run high above house roofs. Reinforced concrete pylons would support strong steel cables with passenger cabins moving along at 25 kilometres an hour (15 m.p.h.), spaced 800 metres (2,000 feet) apart.

Some of the pylons would serve as terminals and intermediate stops on the line, with lifts taking passengers up and down between the street to aerial station platforms.—Reuter.

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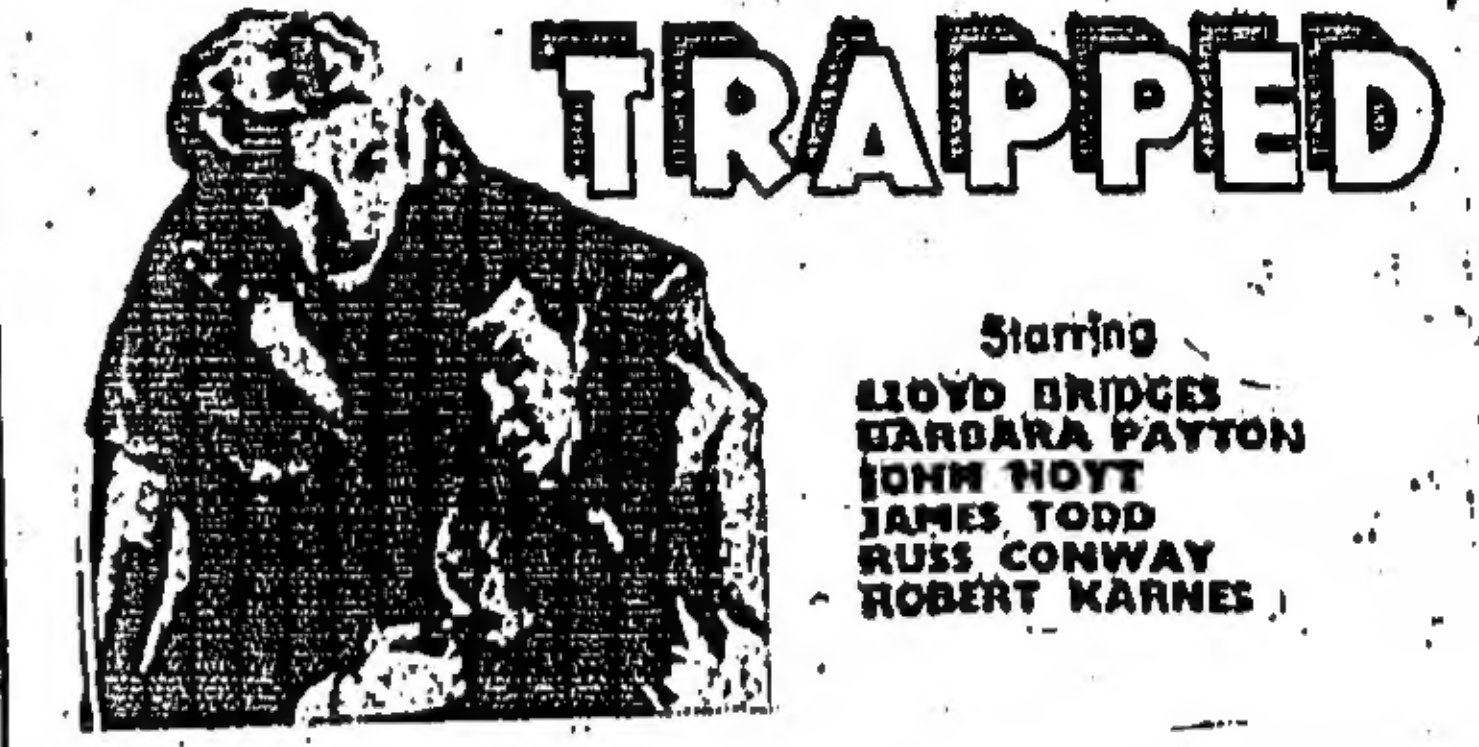
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SPLIT AT STRASBOURG?

"Little Europe" Wants To Strike Out On Its Own

Malan's Warning On African Territories

Pretoria, Sept. 23. The South African Prime Minister, Dr. Daniel Malan, said today that South Africa's patience over the delay in the incorporation into the Union of the three British Protectorates of Basutoland, Bechuanaland and Swaziland was becoming exhausted.

Dr. Malan, who was addressing a National (Government) Party Congress, said he had told the British Government that the negotiations for their incorporation would be reopened in a friendly spirit but if that did not succeed, the Protectorates, which were situated inside the Union and on South Africa's borders, would be considered foreign territory.

The Union could then demand Customs from the Protectorates, which could not be done now. Dr. Malan said if there was an uprising in Basutoland or Swaziland the British Government would not be able to send troops because they would have to cross Union territory.

The Protectorates might also become the centre of Communist agitation and propaganda.

The Union could not remain indifferent to such developments because of the possible effect on the Union's African population. In the event of a Communist uprising in the territories the Union would have to defend them.—Reuter.

Audibert Out Of Luck

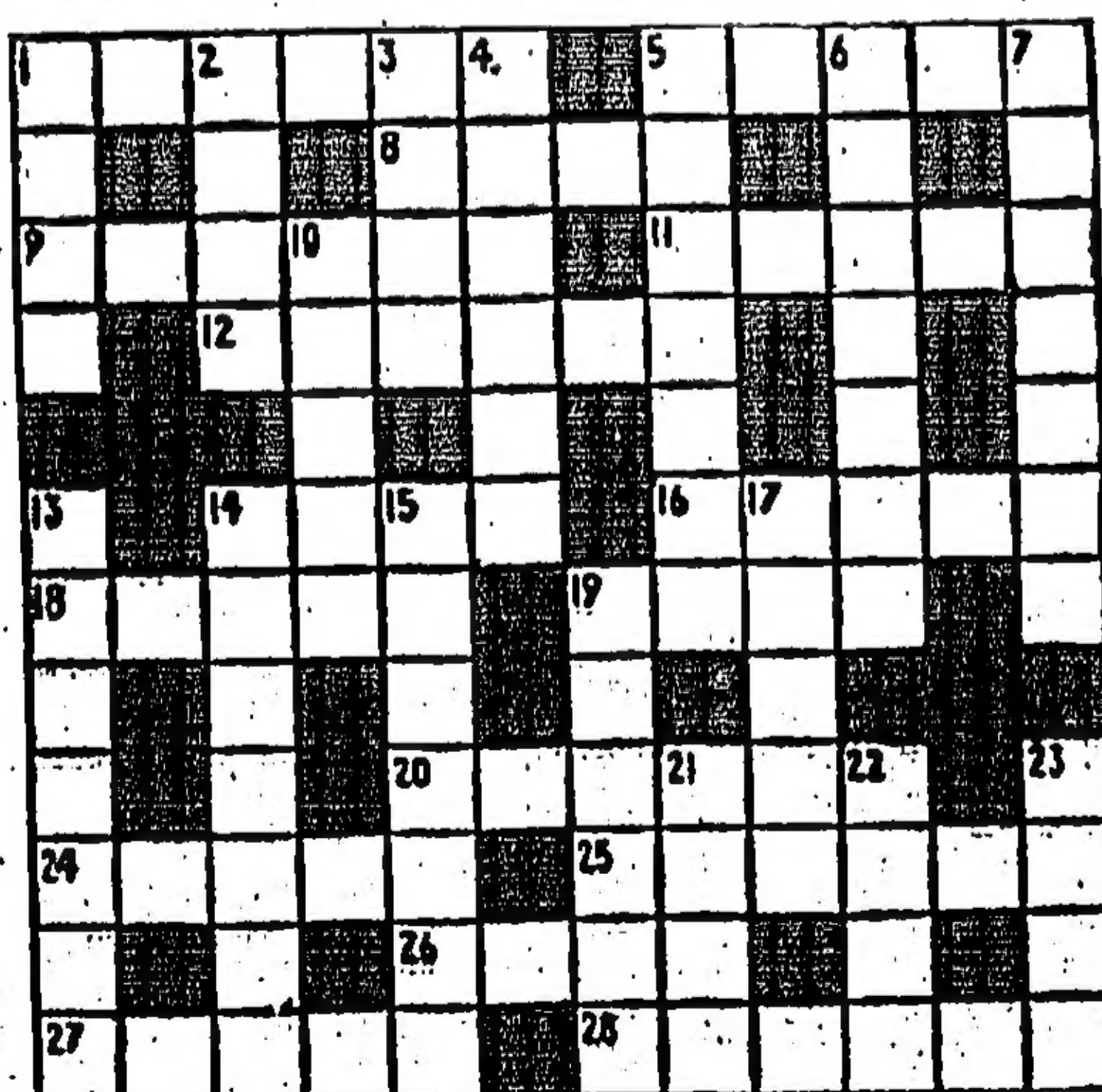
Manila, Sept. 23. A French newspaperman, attempting to break the record speed for round-the-world travel on regular scheduled airlines, was delayed for 24 hours in Manila today because of engine trouble.

Jeanne Marie Audibert said that much time had been added to the 18 hours delay he had already suffered in Karachi where the engine trouble that disorganised his schedule first developed.

He was due to leave here on Wednesday at about 5 p.m. for San Francisco.

Audibert said that if he failed in his present attempt to break the record of four days, two hours and 47 minutes held by the American Thomas Lamplugh "I will try it again even if I have to pay for the trip myself."—United Press.

A British Crossword Puzzle



- ACROSS**
- Clergyman (6).
 - Monastery head (5).
 - Repeat (4).
 - Gels away from (6).
 - Subsequently, (5).
 - Strip (6).
 - Vegetable (4).
 - Deserves (5).
 - Dialect (5).
 - Whirlpool (4).
 - Agreement (6).
 - Large number (4).
 - Elaborately adorned (6).
 - Trim as nails (4).
 - Building lots (6).
 - High regard (6).
- DOWN**
- Earl perhaps (4).
 - Garden tool (4).
 - Sign (4).
 - Issue (6).
 - Averted (7).
 - Military unit (7).
 - Sully (7).
 - Hinder (5).
 - Aids (7).
 - High-sounding talk (7).
 - Pitches tents (7).
 - Bedeck (5).
 - Again (6).
 - Valuable minerals (4).
 - Challenge (4).
 - Ray (4).

YESTERDAY'S CROSSWORD: Across, 1 Slays, 4 Infer, 8 Rotated, 10 Arise, 12 Pistol, 14 Treble, 17 Bend, 19 Accuses, 20 Bedmate, 22 Alum, 23 Editors, 25 Sensed, 29 Nitre, 30 Season, 31 Duress, 32 Lithe, Down—1 Strut, 2 Acute, 3 Sleep, 5 Neat, 6 Exiles, 7 Steeds, 9 Dilates, 11 Robust, 13 Secludes, 15 Reel, 16 Summer, 18 Near, 20 Hanned, 21 Dueter, 24 Idemp, 28 Oppet, 29 Sings, 30 Nels.

Dangerous Friction Arises Over Federation Plans

Strasbourg, Sept. 23.

Talks were going on behind closed doors here tonight aimed at preventing what could become a serious split in the 15-nation Council of Europe.

Broadly, the trouble arises from the determination of a small group of German, French and Italian federalists to cut "Little Europe" adrift from other nations of the Council.

In "Little Europe", the proposed political community or super-State, are France, Germany, Italy and the three Benelux countries. Members of the Council who are outside the Federal scheme at this stage are Great Britain, Eire, Sweden, Norway, Denmark, Iceland, Greece and Turkey.

It was to prevent such a split that the British Government proposed in what has become known as "The Eden Plan" that close links should be established between the six and the "15". Several representatives from France and the Benelux countries said the Eden Plan was a threat to their participation in the six-nation merger. Delegates spoke openly of the fear that Germany might eventually dominate the six.

In Committee, friction arose on several points, of which the essentials are: The "pro-constituent" committee of the six left over for later consideration the question of admitting the other countries to its "working group", which is to discuss the actual terms of federation.

German and Italian committee men opposed a suggestion by the British member, Mr. Julian Amery, that observers from non-member countries should attend the Assembly of the Schuman coal-steel pool (comprising the same six nations).

Finally, a sub-committee of the full Council agreed to recommend admission of observers "subject to mutually agreed conditions."

SOCIALISTS OBJECT
The pre-constituent committee decided to hold its next meeting in Brussels instead of Strasbourg and this was interpreted with some jubilation by federalists as "a declaration of independence."

The French Socialist in the pre-constituent committee objected to the preponderance of Catholics, 13 Catholics to five Socialists (in the parallel committee of the full Assembly the proportion is six Catholics to five Socialists). Socialists are talking sarcastically about "building a Vatican Europe." "By tonight at least one of the cracks had been plastered. President Spaak proposed to hold both his six-nation assemblies, the coal-steel assembly and the federation-making assembly at the seat of the Council of Europe in Strasbourg."

This was "taken" as an answer to rumours that the coal-steel assembly might move to Paris or Brussels.

M. Spaak was reported also actively using his influence to persuade some of the Catholic members of the pre-constituent committee to stand down in favour of Socialists from their countries.

Then the key committee of the "15" the General Affairs Committee, went into private session to discuss the question of observers.

Mr. Amery, acting as rapporteur of the "Eden Plan" sub-committee, was believed to have presented a new proposition aimed at strengthening the ties between the pool nations and the rest.

One suggestion was that the Committee might accept a formula which would preserve the spirit of the Eden Plan and refer the whole issue to public debate in the Assembly.

BRITON'S ADVICE
Mr. Geoffrey de Freitas (United Kingdom, Labour), speaking in the Consultative Assembly, urged Europeans to stop nagging at America and to try instead to convince the American public that it was in their interest to take more European goods.

"First," he said, "it is no use denouncing their tariffs as such. We have tariffs too, and we cannot complain too loudly about the existence of tariffs in the United States."

"Second, we should not denounce their customs procedures. The officials are only carrying out the law as made by Congress. To harp on anomalies in a country with 49 legislatures is merely to bore your audience."

The American public, said Mr. de Freitas, had no prejudice against foreign goods as such. "Once the goods get to them it is quality and price that matter," he said.

"One of the tasks before this Assembly is to sell to the Americans this simple proposition—trade, not aid. I hope we shall be able to send a small delegation to meet the new Congress in Washington next year."

"Let us think of all our peoples spread out from Iceland to Turkey. All our peoples need more trade to help us in our economic plight. Let us say trade, not aid, in all our dozen languages."—Reuter.

DEFENCE ANXIETY

Strasbourg, Sept. 23. The 15-nation Council of Europe is urged in a report published here today to make it unmistakably clear to the North Atlantic Treaty Organisation that there can be no "second zone" countries in Europe which can be sacrificed to an aggressor to "cover the retreat of more favoured partners."

The report, prepared by the Council's key General Affairs Committee, says that public opinion in Denmark, the Netherlands and Western Germany still has reasons for anxiety over the lack of official guidance on the pact's strategic policy.

"It is common knowledge," the report said, "that this question became a burning topic of interest only a few weeks ago as a result of an article by Mr. Drew Middleton in the New York Times based on apparently reliable information."

"This article dealt with a strategic plan allegedly advocated by several great Atlantic nations and entailing the surrender in the case of aggression of most of the northern Netherlands, in-

cluding most of the industrialised section of the country, and of north-western Germany to the aggressor.

"Contradictory statements made in the course of the last few days by certain eminent military commanders of the Atlantic Organisation are hardly likely to clear up the confusion."

GESTURE WANTED
The Assembly is reminded that a Danish delegate raised the same question in the first half of the Council's current session last May.

"The Committee does not doubt that satisfactory decisions will eventually be reached at the discussions held by NATO," the report said. "But would it not be a gesture of solidarity worthy of this Assembly if the latter were forthwith to make its attitude unmistakably clear by declaring that there are no second zone countries situated outside the main defence zone or designated as a mere area for a few delaying actions to cover the retreat of more favoured partners?"

"The Committee sharply criticised the inadequacy of public information on defence questions. "Time and time again," it says, "facts kept scrupulously secret by the Atlantic Organisation and which our governments withheld even from their Parliamentary committees, have been divulged in American Press conferences or in the official report of testimonies made in American courts."

"These conflicting measures to ensure secrecy and prompt revelations have, needless to say, a disastrous effect on public opinion and undermine confidence in its leaders."

REALITY DOUBTED
The Committee doubts the publication of the figure of "50 divisions" which the Atlantic Pact set as its 1952 target during its meeting in Lisbon. This figure, it says, was given without further explanation.

It gave rise to the most varied objections in public opinion and the position of Greece and Turkey. "The European Defence Community" is still limited to six countries but in view of the desire of our Greek and Turkish colleagues that their countries shall also be allowed to join the Community, may the Committee express the hope that special forms of liaison will shortly be established between the Community and Greece and Turkey?"—Reuter.

Red Supply Lines Suffer Heavily

Seoul, Sept. 23.

Night-raiding bombers sweeping low over North Korea are taking an increasing toll of Communist supply trucks because of carefully chosen and better trained fighting crews, an Air Force spokesman disclosed today.

So far, in September, B-29's have destroyed 1,304 Red trucks carrying war supplies from the north down to the battle line. Monday night's bag was 100 trucks.

This month's total is larger than the combined total for July and August but is smaller than June's.

The biggest destruction claims were made in the final days of 1951 when from 4,000 to 5,000 trucks were knocked out every month. The spokesman said that the fact that the Reds are putting more trucks on the road. And they are also becoming more careless about security. "First Lieutenant James Beck was surprised on Monday night when he came upon a concentration of trucks. "Some of the trucks were even parked on the side of the road with the lights still on. It looked to me, as if they were just asking for it," he said. —United Press.

The Aga Khan Selects His Dinner



The Aga Khan, with his wife, the Begum, pushing his wheelchair, visits a restaurant in Milan, and chooses his meal through a glass case before sitting at his table. — Express Photo.

Judy Holliday Admits That She Was Stupid

Washington, Sept. 23.

The stage and screen star, Judy Holliday, told Senate investigators that in getting mixed up with various Communist fronts she was irresponsible and more than slightly stupid.

When she had her eyes opened to what was going on, she said, she herself hired people to investigate her.

"I wanted to know what I had done," said the actress, who won the Motion Picture Academy Award in 1951 for her portrayal of a dumb blonde in "Born Yesterday."

The Senate Internal Security Sub-committee disclosed today that, at closed-door sessions last Spring, it had questioned Miss Holliday, comedian Sam Levenson, actor Philip Love and Singer Burl Ives.

The testimony of all four was made public. It showed that all were asked about Communist-front organisations or activities with which their names had been linked. They said they had never knowingly taken part in any Communist movement.

Levenson and Ives appeared before the sub-committee at their own request.

The Senate group has been investigating for any subversive infiltration of the radio, television and entertainment industries.

The second volume of testi-

WOMAN ACCUSES ANALYST

New York, Sept. 23.

An unmarried woman is suing a psycho-analyst for \$50,000, contending he caused her "severe emotional shock" by analysing her while she wore only her panties.

The woman, identified as Rita Smith, said in her complaint that she reclined on a couch "dressed only in her panties while the defendant sat in a chair at the head of the couch and probed into the inner recesses of her mind."

Disclosure of the suit came yesterday when State Supreme court Justice James E. M. McCall refused to dismiss the complaint. No date for trial was set.

The psycho-analyst, Hal M. Wells, denied the charges and described them as "scandalous and shocking."

Miss Smith also alleged that sedatives made her physically as well as mentally upset. She said she paid Wells \$2,245 in 1949 for treatments after he told her that reputable psychiatric associations "authorised him to examine patients while they were dressed only in panties." Associated Press.

Honour For Envoy

Bonn, Sept. 23.

The West German President, Theodor Heuss, today awarded the Grand Cross of the Order of Merit, West Germany's highest decoration, to the Greek Ambassador, Dimitri Pappas, "for his merits in re-establishing Greek-German relations." Ambassador Pappas is leaving his post in Bonn soon.—Reuter.

MR EDEN'S VISIT TO AUSTRIA

Vienna, Sept. 23.

The British Foreign Secretary, Mr. Anthony Eden, who arrived here earlier today from Yugoslavia for a State visit, called this afternoon on President Theodor Koerner, who welcomed him in the historic rooms of the Hofburg, former winter residence of the Austrian Emperors.

Dr. Koerner stated that he was certain that Mr. Eden's visit was not intended to gain any political advantage. It was meant rather "as a striking token of the sympathy offered to long-suffering Austria by your country."

"It seems the way is now open to new discussions of an Austrian treaty," Dr. Koerner added. "In spite of all disappointments we have not given up hope of the final victory of moral right."

After visiting Dr. Koerner, Mr. Eden went to see the Chancellor, Leopold Figl, then the Vice-Chancellor, Adolf Schaer, and finally the Foreign Minister, Karl Gruber.

Mr. Eden will begin his exchange of views on questions of common interest to Austria and Great Britain tomorrow.

Usually well-informed sources stated today that first and foremost the question of an Austrian peace treaty will be discussed.

It was believed that if Russia refused to attend the coming London conference on an Austrian treaty or proved obstructive to appeals for the liberation of Austria from the burden of occupation, then Britain would be asked to support an appeal to the United Nations.

It was also believed that the question of Trieste, which Mr. Eden has talked over with the Italian Premier, Signor Alcide de Gasperi, and the Yugoslav ruler Marshal Tito, would also be discussed.

But this discussion would be limited entirely, it was thought, to the old-established economic interests of Austria in this port.—Reuter.

Reduction In British Car Prices

London, Sept. 23.

Another price slash to keep British car manufacturing competitive on the world market was made today, when the Rootes group—one of the biggest in the British car industry—announced substantial reductions in some of their makes.

The popular Hillman Minx Coupe was reduced by £40, the total British price now being £705, made up of the basic price of £510 plus £225 purchase tax in Britain.

Of the costlier makes, the Humber Pullman Limousine and the Humber Imperial Saloon were reduced by nearly £220 to cost £2,171 (£1,395 plus £776 tax). Sir William Rootes, announcing the reductions today, said the export position was faced with many hazards, "some of our own national making."

It seemed wrong, he said, that the car industry should go from crisis to crisis. He hoped the Government would "tear out the iron and steel position."

Similar price reductions have been made by other car manufacturers recently. The Ford Company a few months ago announced a reduction of 10 per cent on cars for export.—Reuter.

Ocean Bishop Needs Ship

London, Sept. 23.

Unless £250,000 can be raised to replace a 300-ton ship, one of the Church of England's missions may be "crippled in its work."

All bishops are being asked to help replace the ship—the Southern Cross, which serves the South-West Pacific diocese of Melanesia.

Since 1949 a series of ships have acted as floating homes for the Bishop of Melanesia. The Southern Cross is the seventh. She took over in 1954 after her predecessor had been wrecked in the New Hebrides.

Now the Southern Cross is becoming unserviceable. She is the sole means of keeping contact with the scattered parts of the diocese. The present Bishop, the Right Rev. S. G. Capleton, sometimes makes 10 month cruises visiting his 100,000-strong congregation, 80 native clergy, two hospitals and 600 teachers.—Reuter.

Trade Unions To Take Vital Decision Today

London, Sept. 23.

Trade union leaders in the engineering and shipbuilding industries will meet tomorrow to make up their minds whether or not to delay further in fixing a date for a ban on overtime and piecework in protest at their rejected wage demands.

An alternative to the ban is for the unions to agree to an offer by employers to submit the wage claims to arbitration. Engineering employers, adamant in refusing a £2 a week increase, made the arbitration offer last week in talks with Government "peace-makers."

Today the shipbuilding employers took the same line when they met Sir Robert Gould, Chief Conciliation Officer of the Ministry of Labour.—Reuter.

Atlantic Pact Command A Success

Copenhagen, Sept. 23.

Exercise Malmbruce, involving 160 ships of eight nations, 1,500 aircraft and 85,000 men, has proved that the North Atlantic Treaty system of command works well.

Admiral Sir Patrick Brind, commanding NATO's northern region, said today as the biggest post-war combined services manoeuvres drew to a close, that results had been good.

"There were naturally some difficulties but these were not fundamental—only such as can be avoided next time," he said.

The exercise over half a million miles of sea is now over, except for the final briefing by senior officers on Saturday. It ended two days ahead of schedule with all phases completed.

Tomorrow the ships of America, Britain, Canada, France, Belgium, Denmark, Norway and Holland will disperse.

A senior officer said today that the 12 days of concentrated exercise had been well worth while and training had been achieved which would normally have taken much longer.

One weakness spotlighted has been in communications and this will now be tackled. An 11th hour flurry of excitement was the hunt for an "enemy sea raider"—the midget submarine which escaped from the Baltic after threatening shipping. She was chased by the United States heavy cruiser Quincy and two destroyers after Coastal Command planes had spotted her and judged "sunk" off Scotland.—Reuter.

Souvenirs Of Coronation

London, Sept. 23.

The Council of Industrial Design today issued the first list of Coronation souvenirs approved by the Coronation Souvenirs Committee, which since June has received 328 submissions, and has approved and provisionally approved 59.

The list contains objects in pottery, glass, wood, metal, plastics, leather and other materials, ranging from brooches to biscuit tins.—Reuter.

Eire Back-To-Work

Dublin, Sept. 23.

Dockers here who went on strike on Friday have returned to work.—Reuter.

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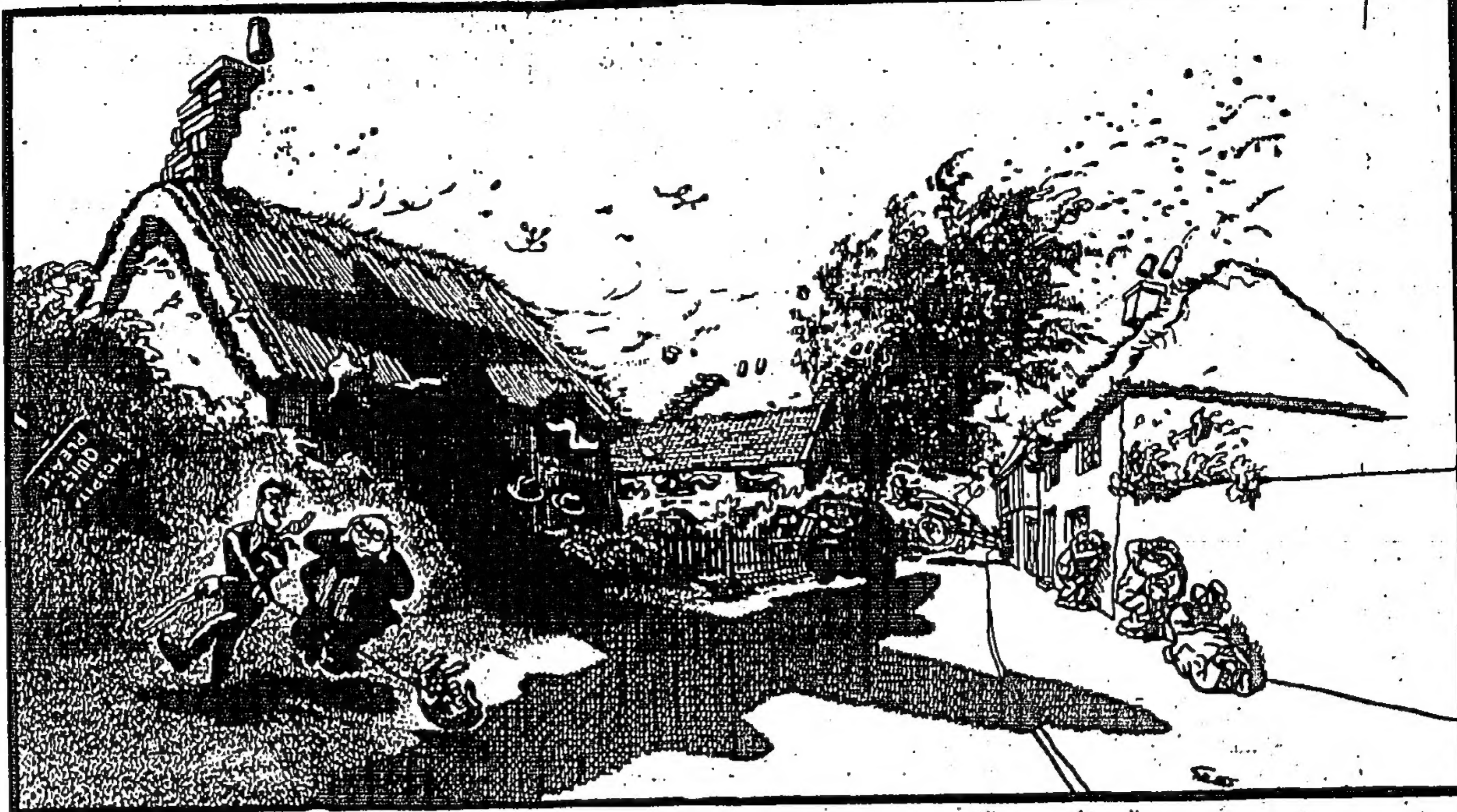
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DON'T TRUST OUR SECRETS TO PARIS

An investigation by
IAN COLVIN

Author of 'Chief of Intelligence,' the much-praised
analysis of Admiral Canaris, Hitler's 'master-spy'

I AM seriously concerned about Mainbrace, the vast air-sea exercise launched by the Atlantic Treaty planners.

This particular operation alarms me because of the danger of pooling top secrets concerning the defence of our country in a city which in terms of security is the worst in Europe.

It is a danger British people should be aware of, and are not.

A danger which I maintain is insufficiently understood in assessing the worth of the European Army.

Whatever lessons are learned from this exercise, whatever improvements result, they will be recorded and distributed to a dozen nations working in Paris, within close range of the biggest Soviet espionage network in Western Europe.

Spies' haunt

S. H. A. P. E., the Supreme Headquarters Allied Expeditionary Force, is without doubt the prime intelligence objective for Stalin's spies.

Everything flows through it. There the lessons of Mainbrace will be collated and shared out to the member nations.

In and around Paris the military planning for European defence goes on all the time.

When General Eisenhower for political reasons selected France as the site of the Supreme H.Q., he was so concerned for security that he took over a clear building site on a farm near Versailles and built his headquarters from the ground up under U.S. Army supervision. He regarded that as safer than using existing buildings.

Target No. One

I ARRIVED at the gates of this S.H.A.P.E. camp as staff officers were hurrying off to take part in Mainbrace.

Superficially there appears to be an efficient pass system, without the usual nonsense of bayonets and Tommy guns.

A second security barrier within surrounds the most secret planning sections.

But past the main security desk, which with its near-by newspaper stall looks rather like an airport stall, streams a flow of civilian staff, and a score of different uniforms.

The office of one nation is understandably different about

questioning the security standards of a colleague from another nation.

The two American colonels in charge of security at S.H.A.P.E. were frank in their comments.

"Certainly this is Intelligence target number one," they admitted. "And no pass and screening system by itself is perfect."

There are no names now on officers' doors. There is no toll-take notice board like that outside our War Office in Whitehall which solemnly tells entrants that they must show their passes today, thus informing them beforehand which are the easy and which the "tricky" days.

Girl suspect

ONE suspect has already been sorted out in Versailles.

A pretty young woman on the cleaning staff, who spoke four languages, was noticed to be above-average talkative and oncoming as she cleaned up the offices of S.H.A.P.E.

She showed more than usual interest in papers left lying about.

The security men figured out that with her qualifications it was odd that she should be content with 110 francs, or 2s. 3d., an hour. She was quietly and it turned out, justifiably taken off the strength.

Then there was the mystery of the briefcase—a British official case, I regret to say. One of those black cases you see every day in the train or bus on the way up to Whitehall.

It was left in a railway carriage between Versailles and Fontainebleau by a staff officer. It had secret plans in it.

For 24 hours it was missing, and to this day nobody knows whether those secrets have reached Moscow.

Slackness

IT needs much tact to surmise the security mindedness of 14 nationalities.

Nevertheless much more could be done.

It is not expressly forbidden, for example, to take military papers home.

An imperative order forbidding it should be issued in all languages immediately.

Another example of security slackness—

I called at European Army H.Q. in Paris. There officers are obliged to escort their visitors. My escort left his room empty and unlocked and his safe open, for nearly ten minutes while he saw me out of the building.

But the main place of leakage, the most dangerous of all, is

outside the control of the military spy-busters.

It is Paris, itself—a huge international sieve, the centre of the most intelligent Communist Party in Western Europe.

It is also the centre of resistance to military alliance with the Germans, which gives a further impulse to espionage.

Half an hour away from S.H.A.P.E. is the Soviet Embassy. It has a declared strength of 30 diplomats on the French diplomatic list. But the Foreign Ministry knows of 175 Soviet citizens in France with diplomatic immunity, and more than three times that number who serve ostensibly as drivers, clerks, and domestic servants.

France has asked the Soviet Embassy to reduce its staff drastically, but without effect.

Then there are the Polish and Czechoslovak embassies, the Hungarians, Rumanians, Bulgarians, and Albanians, the travel agencies, cultural institutes, suspect cabarets, commercial firms—all "funnels"

which make Paris a spy's paradise.

In cars faster even than French traffic, the Iron Curtain diplomats shoot from the premises they own all over Paris and lose the French security cars which try to trail them.

"It is an almost hopeless job to keep track of them in this city," a French official confesses.

All over France small-group intelligence cells, grafted into the French Communist Party, are working for the enemies of the West.

The Communists, remember, polled 5,000,000 votes in the last elections.

'Neutralists'

SINCE the open demonstrations last spring against General Ridgway were so promptly suppressed, and the general strike threat became a fiasco, Communist tactics have switched to long-term undermining of the Allied military structure.

But because they have switched they are no less dangerous.

Some of the most serious leakages come from the "neutralists" in French Ministries.

"Neutralists" are men who believe in advertising their belief that the European Army will never work.

Their object is to soothe Russia with a show of weakness and reluctance as in the pre-1939 days.

Recently there was a dispute between French and Dutch planners on the extent of land aid to be given to Holland.

The French are not anxious to make another headlong advance north, as in 1940, and expose their right flank to a massive punch through the Ardennes.

'Only political'

THEIR views and Dutch indignation were soon openly discussed and described in the French newspapers.

Officials in Paris are resigned about these leakages. These are political differences, they say, not military.

But I see it differently. I say that out of Paris, a stream of information is almost certainly flowing to the Kremlin.

I believe that outwitting the Soviet spy network in this capital of liberty and fraternity is one of the hardest operations in the cold war.

Let's have an all-nation Security Exercise after Mainbrace. It might show astonishing results.

What a place to put a headquarters!

Sitting on the Fence

... by Nathaniel Gubbins

A BORTIVE conversation with a constant reader.

Constant Reader: "I thought your little piece was jolly good last week."

Uncle Nat: "Thank you." "Or was it the week before?" "How should I know?"

"Well, it was one of them. Just something that tickled me. My wife had to laugh, too."

"Had to?" "Well, she doesn't often laugh."

"Really? Melancholia?" "Oh, no. She's a bit of a highbrow."

"I see." "She thinks the papers are a lot of rot."

"Does she buy many?" "Oh, quite a number. Of course, she has to read something."

"Of course." "I heard a jolly funny story the other day."

"Did you?" "Yes, there was an Englishman, an Irishman and a Scotsman."

"Sitting together in a train?" "Yes. How did you know?"

"Oh, just a wild guess." "Well, I've forgotten how it goes now. But it's jolly funny. I'll send it along to you: if you like."

"That's dam decent of you." "Not at all. Well, I'm jolly glad to have met you."

"The pleasure's mutual." "I thought you'd like to know my wife and I had a bit of a laugh. I wish I could remember which day it was."

"So do I." "And I wish I could remember what it was about."

"That would make the conversation more interesting." "Funny, isn't it?" "Terribly funny."

Advice to humorists

ARE you shy? If so, think it over before you take the advice of one of those scribbling doctors who wrote the other morning—

"Shy people ought to make a point of talking to at least one stranger a day. Tell them jokes if you can. Collect half a dozen of the best foolproof, sure-fire stories, fresh and up to date, and see if you don't get a great many warm, friendly laughs."

For instance, you are not likely to get a warm and friendly laugh if you happen to pick on a deaf stranger.

Not only will your natural shyness change to red-faced embarrassment, but if your story is a vulgar one (heaven forbid!) you are likely to get arrested for bawling obscenities in the public streets.

Also, be careful not to select large, angry-looking strangers who might resent your intrusion on their privacy. You are just as likely to get a great wallop on the ear as a warm, friendly laugh.

Working man's supper

PROBABLY you are too young to know anything about the British workman and his well-known habit of clipping his wife over the ear when he doesn't like the dinner she has prepared for him.

This is merely because he is a natural man (quite unlike those you have already met) who rightly demands the elementary comforts of life according to his means and who, if he is disappointed, fixes the blame on the person responsible and acts accordingly.... and immediately.

For your benefit we will imagine that Mr. Albert Smith, a typical British working man, has returned home hungry after hours of toil to face a supper which his wife has cooked on the advice of a woman journalist.

"Here is my menu for a labouring man," squeaks the scribe. "It contains 3,000 calories...."

"Supper: Eggs, potato, lettuce and tomato salad, brown bread, margarine, cheese, orange."

MR. SMITH: "Wot's all this ere?"

MRS. SMITH (nervously): "It's your supper, Bert."

MR. SMITH (surveying the spread): "Ho, it's no supper, it's wot do you take me for, a flamin' rabbit?"

MRS. SMITH (in a panic): "The lady wot wrote a piece in the paper said it was a properly balanced meal for a working man and it's got 3,000 calories...."

There is the sound of a smack, a squeal, and a dull thud.... Half an hour later there is a smell of frying steak.

And stop, using that disgusting language! (London Express Service)

For your next move you really need a pair of boxing gloves, but as these are not always handy, transfer part of the dishcloth to your left hand and make a two-handed smother at the red-hot casserole.

Don't mess around. Grip it firmly, pull it towards you, turn smartly about—and run like mad for the dining-room.

Ten to one you don't make it without burning your fingers. Hundred to one you drop the casserole on the floor.

And stop, using that disgusting language! (London Express Service)

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Mermaid Showman's Goodbye

New York.
R. H. BURNSIDE, a Glasgow-born showman who amazed New York by sending 48 chorus girls walking into a tank of water, is dead at the age of 82.

And with his death a chapter of Broadway's history closes. He was the son of an English actress and a Scots theatre manager. He ran away from home three times to go on the stage.

The third time he became a call-boy for Gilbert and Sullivan shows in London's old Savoy Theatre—back when Queen Victoria reigned.

THE TURNING POINT in his life was his meeting with actress Lillian Russell. She was impressed by his work as a playwright-director. She insisted he accompany her to Broadway as her manager.

Charles Dillingham made him producer at the Hippodrome. Burnside produced, wrote, and staged 200 shows. For "H.M.S. Pinafore" a full rigged ship floated in a tank on the stage. The Hippodrome drew 2,500,000 people a year. And Burnside grew rich.

HE BOUGHT a millionaire distiller's 22-room mansion, "Pine Lawn," on North Maple Avenue, in fashionable Ridgewood, New Jersey. There he entertained theatre stars.

But as the years passed he stayed at home and Broadway saw him no more. His wife died, and he lived among his memories—more than 70 trunks and packets of programmes, play scripts, photographs, and costumes.

And now the final curtain.

COLONEL FRANKIE CLARKE, Canadian president of a paper company, arrived back in New York from a "jany" important London mission. He delivered a supply of Cuban cigars for Mr. Churchill.

He and Churchill chose the tobacco in 1947. It has been stored in casks ever since—enough to make 10,000 cigars. Clarke sees that supplies reach the Prime Minister regularly. He says Churchill smokes eight a day—four or five of them eight-inners.

CALIFORNIA scientists have flown over our newest volcano. It appeared on San Benedicto Island, 780 miles south of San Diego, seven weeks ago, and erupts every 20 minutes. The scientists think it will quieten down soon.

ANGELO WILL NOT AVOID THE TURPIN GUILLOTINE FOR FIFTEEN ROUNDS

Says PETER WILSON

London.

There are only six boxing champions in Britain at the moment—Randolph Turpin holds the middle and light heavyweight titles and Teddy Gardner's retirement has left the flyweight vacant. And three of them are in the news.

Contracts for Turpin to meet George Angelo, of South Africa, for the vacant Empire middleweight title, at Harringay on October 21, have been finally signed. Johnny Williams, our heavyweight, has asked that his contest against Johnny Arthur, also of South Africa, be recognised for the Empire Championship.

Frank Johnson, the lightweight champion, has agreed to meet Solly Cantor, the Canadian lightweight, who has never been beaten in some dozen fights in Britain.

Although this bout will not necessarily carry a title with it, it will be at the championship weight and each man has a good record, a side-stake of £500 with the British Boxing Board of Control.

The Turpin fight is naturally the most interesting, because Turpin is British boxing these days.

The World's Lightweight Champion has to be bullied into fighting him—talk about a short-cut match—the world's Middleweight Champion looks as though he is contemplating retirement rather than fight Turpin for a third time, so now it is left to

the classical, but cloutless Angelo to step in where angels have feared to tread.

WARM-UP BOUT

George will provide a perfect warm-up for Turpin, for his correct boxing will make the lightweight boy display all his skill. But I cannot see Angelo avoiding the Turpin guillotine for 15 rounds.

I must say I am rather baffled at Johnny Arthur's luck in getting the "plum" of an Empire title fight when one remembers that only three months ago the not particularly skilful Trinidad-heavyweight Ansell Adams—himself eligible for an Empire title—outpointed him comfortably at the White City.

Frank Johnson is certainly a confident young man. In tackling Cantor he is taking on a man who beat both the previous

holders of the British Bat. Bib. title—Billy Thompson and Tommy McGovern—although these victories were only eight-rounders, and, therefore, involved no title.

Still, it's good to see our Champions in action, if only to prove that the increased tax hasn't yet completely blanketed the game.

NOW A DOG

It took a horse—the immortal Foxhunter—to save our bacon at Helsinki. Now it looks as though a dog might bring back the gammon from the USA.

Irish-bred Black Mire, owned by Jack McAllister and trained by Jack Tinsley at Birmingham, is our sole entry for the most valuable greyhound race ever staged—the American Greyhound Derby, which will be held at Taunton, Massachusetts, on September 27, and will be worth £2,000.

Maybe there is something in a name, for the heavier American going has normally been against visiting dogs, but with a title like Black Mire the British entry should be able to "skate it". Black Mire, a Derby finalist and St. Leger winner in 1951, will at least have some British support. McAllister and Tinsley are already in the States, and Captain John Jolliffe, the Wembley racing manager and British agent for the race, joins them next week.

AMATEURS?

Final comment on the Olympic "amateur" controversy comes from a senior executive of the Southern Amateur Athletic and Cycling Association. He writes:

"If certain of the competing nations' representatives at the recent Olympic Games are not professionals, well then, it's about time the amateur athletic and cycling associations ceased to function."

To quote Garry Gambol: "How much is it worth not to say 'I told you so'?" Good-Loser department. When Herb McKenley, who I still maintain won the Olympic 100 Metres, finished inches, but not even a tenth of a second, ahead of McDonald Bailey in Helsinki, it must have been one of the most galling moments in the career of the man who has proved himself the "Trinidad" of all sprinters in England.

Hustling Herb, from Jamaica, a "globe-trotter" in every sense of the word is now in Japan. He spent the last few days before going there in England. And where did he say? Why, at McAllister's house.

NOTICE

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB

Draft Programmes and Entry Forms for the 3rd Race Meeting 1952/53 to be held on Saturday, 25th and Wednesday, 29th October, 1952, (weather permitting) may be obtained at the Secretary's Office, Alexandra House; the Club House, Happy Valley; and the Stables, Shan Kwong Road.

Entries close at 12 o'clock NOON on Thursday, 2nd October, 1952.

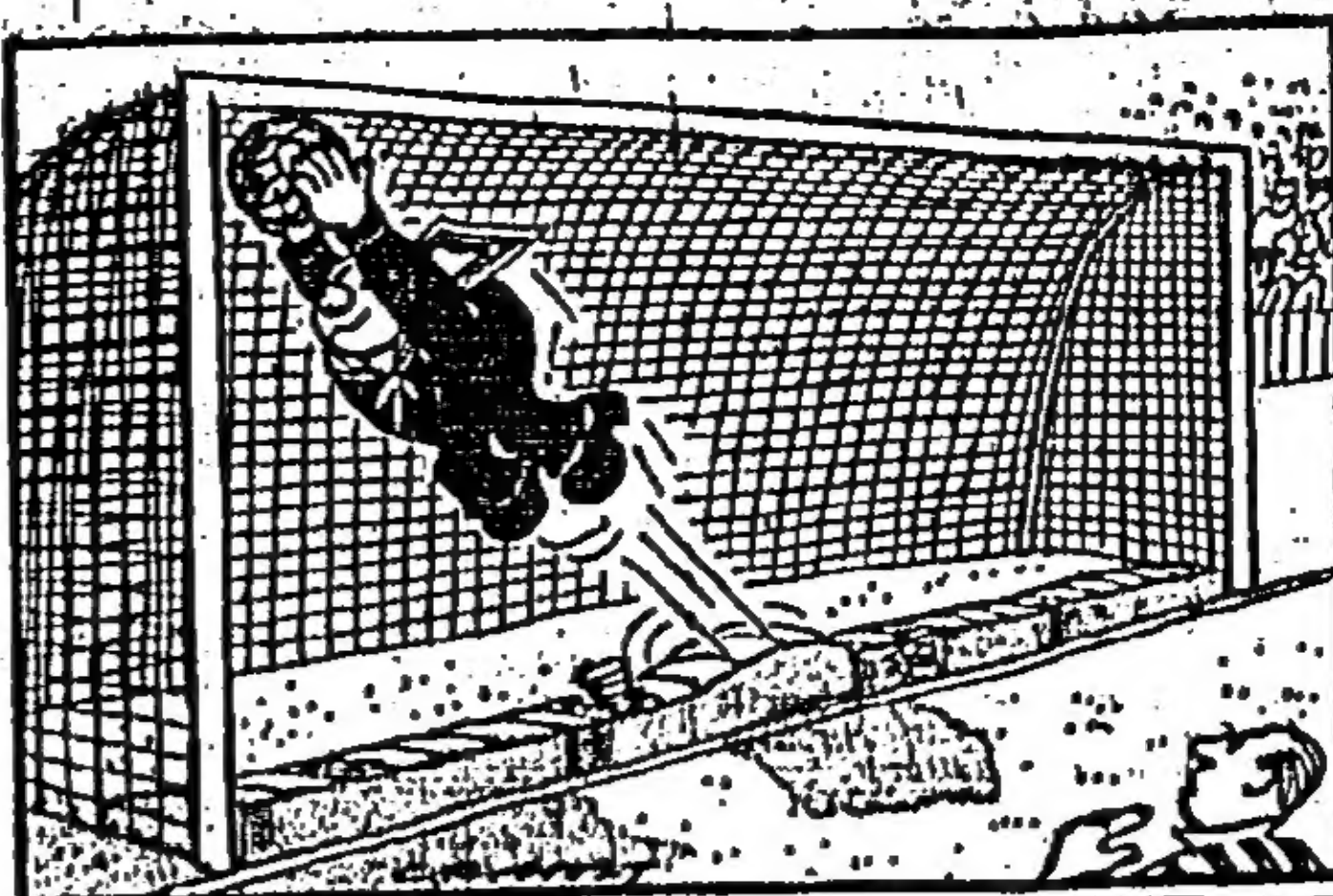
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THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB

Special Cash Sweep on the Kwangtung Handicap Saturday, 11th October, 1952. Tickets in the above at \$2.00 each may be obtained at the Cash Sweep Offices of the Club at: Telephone House, 1st floor 5 D'Aguiar Street, Kowloon. Over 400,000 tickets sold to date.

By Order, H. MISA, Secretary.



Sportsman's Diary Says

Eliminate Team Games From The Olympics

The Football Association, making suggestions for a new conception of the amateur status in Olympic football, is surely barking up the wrong tree. Besides bringing up this old argument, however, in their latest bulletin, the FA also wants to stop needless Olympic travel.

In Finland some countries were required to travel thousands of miles to play one match. In Melbourne (1956) distances will be greater still.

Why worry? Football has no try will be able to house them without decentralisation, which would spoil the whole occasion.

Professional World Tennis Championships

London, Sept. 23. "Pancho" Gonzales, top seeded American, was an impressive winner over J. de Mos, of the Netherlands, in the first round of the world indoor professional lawn tennis tournament at Wembley here today.

Gonzales, winner of the event for the last two years, won 6-1, 6-1. Another first round winner was Fred Perry, one of the greatest tennis players Britain has ever produced and now a naturalised American.

He beat the former Swiss Champion, John Brehm, 6-2, 6-2. In the second round, Jack Kramer, of the United States, beat the 1947 Wimbledon Champion, Karl Schreder, of Sweden, 6-2, 6-1.

In another second round match, Don Budge (United States) beat Bobby Riggs (United States) 6-2, 6-3.

In a doubles first round encounter H. Huonder (Switzerland) and Mohamed Ali Mawla (Egypt) beat Bobby Riggs (United States) and H. Nusslein (Germany) 6-3, 2-6, 6-4.

F. Segura beat Dinny Pailk 6-4, 6-0 and R. Gonzales beat Fred Perry 6-1, 6-0 to reach the semi-final to which stage Kramer and Budge had played themselves earlier.

In the final match of the evening, Budge and Kramer won through to the Davis semi-final by beating W. Mos, and Fredy Roberts of Britain 6-4, 6-2. —Reuter.

Curvis Agrees To Defend Title In South Africa

Johannesburg, Sept. 23. Cliff Curvis, British and Empire welterweight champion, has agreed to defend his Empire crown against Gerald Dreyer of South Africa in Johannesburg at the end of November.

Mr Julius Martin, Chairman of the National Sporting Club, said today that Curvis has accepted their terms but so far they had not received confirmation from Dreyer, who is at present in the United States.

"We know Dreyer is keen to return to South Africa to fight for the Empire welterweight title and so we expect to receive acceptance of our terms within a day or two," said Mr Martin. Dreyer, who relinquished the South African lightweight title, has won all his eleven fights as a welterweight in the United States. —Reuter.

Home Rugger Results

London, Sept. 23. Results of Rugby League matches played today were: Yorkshire Cup, 2nd Round: Halifax 20, Keighley 11. Lancashire Cup, 2nd Round: St Helens 31, Rochdale 7. RUGBY UNION: Bedford 15, Bletchley 20. Redruth 0, Rosslyn P. 0. —Reuter.

Tommy Lawton Married

London, Sept. 23. Tommy Lawton, Bradford and England footballer, was married quietly at Caxton Hall, London, today. The bride was Mrs. Gay Rose of Nottingham.

A crowd of several hundreds gathered outside the hall. Jackie Sewell, of Sheffield Wednesday, was the best man.

The guests included a number of football stars and others, including Mr F. A. Davis, Chairman of Bradford Football Club, Mr H. E. Davis, Vice-Chairman, and Mr Jimmy Ball, manager. Mr and Mrs Lawton will have a two-day honeymoon "somewhere in the country" and will return in time for Tommy's match at Burnley, Lancashire, on Saturday. —Reuter.

MARCIANO KNOCKS OUT WALCOTT

Philadelphia, Sept. 23.

Unbeaten Rocky Marciano survived a first round knock down and a terrific battering in the other sessions to come back and win the Heavyweight Championship of the World on a 15th round knockout over ancient Jersey Joe Walcott. The time was 43 seconds of the 15th round.

Walcott had a 12-lb. advantage on Marciano at the weigh-in, scaling exactly 14 stone.

Immediately after the fight Walcott's manager, Felix Boechicchio announced that Jersey Joe Walcott was retiring from the ring.

Following is a blow by blow description of the Jersey Joe Walcott-Rocky Marciano heavy-weight championship fight: the referee was Charles Duggert; the judge was Pete Tomasco and Zack Clayton.

Walcott entered with a left as they came out of their corners and they went into a clinch in which both landed tight body blows until separated by the referee.

Walcott drove a series of lefts and rights to Marciano's head and then staggered Marciano with a short left.

Walcott dropped him with a short left hook for a count of two. Marciano came back with a right to Walcott's chin. Rocky missed a looping right. Walcott was short with a left. A Walcott right grazed Rocky's neck. Rocky landed a light right to the face and took a left in return. They clinched as Rocky missed with a right. Walcott ducked under a Walcott left and then drove his own left to Walcott's chin as the round ended.

Walcott's round.

Although Rocky got up at the count of two in the first round, the official decision was that he took a count of three. Walcott came out and missed with a left as Rocky went into a clinch. Marciano missed a hard right, but drove Walcott into the ropes with a left. Walcott landed a hard left to Rocky's body and then a hard right to the chin. Marciano was short with a left as Walcott tied him up. Both landed light lefts and rights in a close-up exchange.

Joe's right grazed Rocky's shoulders as they went into another clinch. Rocky at close quarters landed a left and a right, but took a hard right to the chin in return. Rocky came back with two hard rights to the body. Rocky drove a left to Walcott's body and then a left to the chin. The round ended in favour of Marciano.

They came out cautiously for the third round with Rocky finally grazing a left off Joe's stomach. Walcott drove a hard left to Rocky's chin. Walcott, going for the stomach, was short with a left as they went into a clinch. Walcott landed a hard right to Rocky's kidney but Rocky came back with a right to the stomach. Both landed light body blows and they clinched against the ropes.

Rocky missed with a left but drove a right and a left to Joe's body, but Joe came back with a right to the stomach to tie up the challenger. Rocky staggered Joe with a right to the jaw as the round ended. Marciano's round.

Walcott landed a light right to Joe's chin as the champion went into a clinch. Rocky was forcing most of the fighting. Walcott drove a series of lefts and rights to Rocky's head, but Marciano backed the champion into the ropes with a right and a left to the body. Rocky wrestled Joe against the ropes and not a hard blow was landed. Rocky drove a hard right to Walcott's head and forced the champion into the ropes. Walcott appeared to be hanging on more than he usually does. Rocky again forced Joe against the ropes in an inside exchange. Rocky was short with a left but drove a right to Joe's head. Both fighters were milking around with little action. Rocky crowded Joe into the ropes in a close exchange but the champion bounced away. Rocky landed a right to the body and followed with a right to the jaw. Walcott was short with a left hook and they went into a clinch in which Rocky had the better of it. Both fighters were becoming more cautious. Joe landed a hard left to Rocky's chin and they again fought until the round ended. Marciano's round.

(The rounds given to each fighter were the opinion of the sports writer and not necessarily the official score.)

Rocky was short with a left as he chased Joe around the ring. Joe landed a left but took a hard right to the chin. Rocky drove Joe into the ropes with a left to the body. Rocky was short with a left but Joe landed a right and left to the body, forcing the champion into a clinch. Marciano drove Walcott against the ropes with a flurry of body blows.

Joe drove a hard left to the body as he came off the ropes and then landed a series of blows before the fighters went into a clinch. Marciano drove the champion into the ropes again but none of his blows were telling ones. Marciano drove a right to Walcott's jaw and landed a right uppercut as the round ended.

The round was scored for Marciano.

Walcott staggered his younger rival with a right to the body that Jack Knifed him. A right and left series to the head knocked the challenger back on his heels and it seemed Marciano might be knocked out. Walcott continued the offensive and gashed Rocky's right brow but failed to knock the Massachusetts Italian off his feet. It was Walcott's round.

A cautious Marciano and a confident Walcott fought bravely but evenly throughout the round. It was scored even.

A flurry of blows from Marciano forced the champion into the ropes. A terrific left hook to Walcott's chin crumpled the aging defender and he crumpled down on the ropes. He took the count with one arm over the ropes and his head and head touching the canvas. As referee Charles Duggert completed the count, Walcott fell over backwards onto the canvas and lay on his back in the ring. —United Press.

Cricket Trial On Sunday

Another Colony Cricket Trial in preparation for the forthcoming visit of the Australian XI early next month will be held at Sookunup on Sunday, September 28.

The following teams have been selected to take part in this trial: P. V. Dodge's XI—P. V. Dodge (Captain), Capt. Thorburn, Major King-Martin, Capt. Haycraft, S/L Kingsford, R. Macpherson, Capt. Walcott, J. Muldoon, Lt. Alexander, Col. V. Bailey, Lt. S. Moore, A. Zimmerman.

N. Arthy's XI—N. Arthy (Captain), L. Kilbee, G. Rowe, G. Gosano, R. Craig, G. R. H. P. Pritchard, A. Prata, A. Minu, K. Spinks, T. Mahon, C. Connell, F. Lericou. Reserves—F. Zimmerman and G. Souza.

KCC CRICKET TEAM FOR SATURDAY

The following will represent the KCC against the RAF on Saturday, September 27, at 2:00 p.m. at Cox's Road: S. V. Gilling, W. M. Davidson, N. Hart-Baker, A. Lang, T. Lee, K. Lo, R. W. F. Lodge, E. A. Nicola, C. S. Ramage, G. Taylor and A. Zimmerman.

Reserves: K. H. Fraser, A. P. Weir and S. Ramchand.

WEEK-END HOCKEY

The following are the hockey fixtures for Sunday, September 28, for both divisions of the Men's Hockey League:

FIRST DIVISION: Revere v Army "A", Revere ground at 14:30 p.m. Umpires, C. H. Tech. E. Aldridge, Z. A. Abbas.

Police v RAF, Police Ground at 14:30 p.m. Umpires, W. O. 11. E. Day, W. O. 1. N. W. Letori. Royal Navy v HKHC, Army/ Navy ground Boundary Street at 14:30 p.m. Umpires, Mahkan Singh, F/Sgt. L. F. Leigh.

Thunderbolts v Argonauts "A", Royal Navy ground No. 1 at 10:30 a.m. Umpires, W. O. 1. A. N. Nixon, J. B. Gonsalves.

SECOND DIVISION: Army "B" v Black Hawks, Sookunup No. 1 at 14:30 p.m. Umpires, C. B. Gurevitch, P. O. P. J. Ball.

Aces v Argonauts "B", Police Ground at 10:30 a.m. Umpires, P. F. Xavier, C. Blackburn.

Dutch HC v HKHC, Sookunup No. 1 at 10:30 a.m. Umpires, Maj. S. J. B. Boycott, Sgt. T. G. Davies.

Thunderbolts "B" v Nav Bharat, Royal Navy ground No. 2 at 10:30 a.m. Umpires, F. L. E. J. Cordun, W. O. 1. M. J. Peters.

Teams of umpires who cannot meet these fixtures are requested to contact C. H. Tech, the Hon. Fixture Sec. of the HKHC, immediately by phone (30243).

Home Soccer Results

London, Sept. 23. Results of football matches played today were: DIVISION III (South): 2. Colchester 2, 2. Millwall 2. DIVISION IV (North): 2. Workington 0, 2. Barrow 2. —Reuter.

ALWAYS A SCENE OF PHLEGMATIC LEISURE

By DILYS POWELL

Whenever I visit a film studio the scene is one of phlegmatic leisure: stars hanging about with bored ochre faces, director pleading in honeyed tones with a knot of extras, and an electrician fiddling amiably with the model liner which has once more, as it wobbled into its model harbour, managed to turn off all its lights.

How different from the shooting of Orson Welles' "Othello" (which we must all pray to see soon)! The passage is Act IV, Scene 1, with a concealed Othello mistaking references to Bianca for contemptuous laughter over Desdemona. It is being played at Mogador, on a beach used for hunting and hygienic multitudes of seagulls which

Welles is trying to lure into the picture with largesse of fish. "Look at the silly pranks, all flying away out of the shot! Hey! Come back, you great big overfed Jeezobols—hey! Here they come again! Action! Fish! Quick, tell those Arab cretins, someone, quick! Action! Hey! Fish, Goddammit!"

To Michael MacLiammair, from whose new book "Put Money in Thy Purse" (Methuen, 15s.) the impressions are quoted, we owe the restoration of faith in the divine lunacy of film-making. Lillian Ross, in a recent series of scintillating articles in the "New Yorker" about "The Red Badge of Courage," took us behind the screen. Indeed, but Miss Ross is a journalist and an observer, and it is the battle of business and executives rather than the battle of the artists which she observes. MacLiammair is an actor. "And he is a born writer, with exceptional gifts of wit and imagination. When he tells us about the making of a film he is himself part of the lunacy, yet artist enough to draw back and look from a distance."

"Put Money in Thy Purse" has for its subtitle "A Diary of the Film of 'Othello'"; the book is a day-by-day account of a gigantic fantasy in which for over a year its author, in turns exhilarated, moody, exasperated, enchanted and wretched, was caught up. He was cast to play Iago to the Othello of his friend Orson Welles. He had not, he tells us, worked in a film studio since he made "Coming Thru the Rye" with Alma Taylor; over-familiarity with the business of acting for the cinema thus never mist over the bright surface of his writing.

Not that his part as Iago involved him in much studio work. The fantasy took its players more than half-way across Europe and at any rate part-way across Africa. They are in Paris, they are in Rome, they are in Casablanca; they act in the Doge's Palace, in an eleventh-century church in Tuscany, in a Portuguese cistern flooded with dyed water in Madagascari, they rehearse "Valentin, be sure thou prove my love a whore" in the Bois de Boulogne and play it hanging by ropes at right angles to the battlements of Mogador. Confusion and

catastrophe pursue them wherever they go. In response to a telegram from Welles, MacLiammair flies to Africa, but three weeks too early. The company's luggage is lost, the actors are in the wrong train, MacLiammair burns his back on a hot-air pipe, Welles has a finger poisoned by a scratch from an admirer; Othello must say "All's well now, sweetest, come away to bed" to a Desdemona who isn't there because Desdemona hasn't been cast yet, the murder of Rodrigo has to take place in a steam-bath because the men's costumes haven't arrived. At intervals production stops because there is no money. Yet Welles, cursing, quarrelling, embracing, roystering, goes on. "He will win through and all at the end will fall into his hands, the bright-winged old gorilla."

The portrait of Welles alone would make the book worth while. And there are scores of other portraits: Suzanne Cloutier, the French-Canadian Desdemona whom Welles calls that Iron Butterfly; the beautiful Fay Compton; Hilton Edwards, MacLiammair's witty and distinguished colleague at the Dublin Gate Theatre.

But over all there broods another portrait, the portrait of the actor: not an actor but the generic figure of our imaginings, the excitable, impecunious, generous, gossiping, flamboyant, belligerent, nocturnal creature of our insatiable desire for romance. Life in MacLiammair's book is turned, but enjoyed, turmoil. Nobody has any money, but everybody travels by plane, converses by long-distance telephone and dines at the Tour d'Argent. Everybody is exhausted and ill, but strength is found to argue all night (or at worst to follow the shouting-match "with eyes like cat following strenuous game of ping-pong") and to note in some flashing phrase the appearance of a city approached at dawn from the air. The actor's stamina it is—and the Irish genius—which lends vitality to "Put Money in Thy Purse." The book blazes with the rhetoric so much envied by those of us who have enjoyed the hospitality of Dublin. Or perhaps I had better say that Michael MacLiammair has the eye of a painter and the tongue of a poet, and leave it at that.

BROOKLYN DODGERS CLINCH NATIONAL LEAGUE PENNANT

New York, Sept. 23. The Brooklyn Dodgers clinched the National League pennant tonight by defeating the Philadelphia Phils 5-4 in the first game of a double-header.

The Chicago White Sox dealt the Cleveland Indians' pennant hopes a near-fatal blow, defeating the Indians 10-1 at Cleveland Municipal Stadium.

The defeat dropped the Indians a game and a half behind the first place New York Yankees, whose game against the Boston Red Sox was rained out. Now the Yankees have six games to play and the Indians only three.

The White Sox battered the Indians pitching ace, Mike Garcia, for five runs in the first inning and that was enough to win, as Joe Dobson pitched, a six-hitter for Chicago to notch his 14th victory of the season. The defeat ended a six-game Cleveland winning streak.

The Indians scored their only run in the third inning.

The Athletics beat the Senators 4-3, but the Athletics star pitcher, Bobby Shantz, suffered a wrist injury and will be lost to the team for the rest of the season. Shantz was

AMERICAN LEAGUE			
	R	H	E
Chicago	10	14	1
Cleveland	1	6	1
Washington	3	8	0
Philadelphia	4	8	0
NATIONAL LEAGUE			
	R	H	E
Philadelphia	4	7	1
Brooklyn	5	7	1

—United Press.

Cricket Writers Award Trophy To Fred Trueman

London, Sept. 23. F. S. Trueman of Yorkshire and England, the 21-year-old fast bowler who had such astonishing success in the Test matches against India this summer, has won the Cricket Writers' Club trophy for the "best young cricketer of 1952."

He defeated D. Sheppard, the brilliant Sussex and England batsman, by eight votes. Trueman's bowling record for the season was 282.2 overs, 87 maidens, 841 runs, 61 wickets, average 13.78.

In the Tests, his figures were: 119.4 overs, 25 maidens, 286 runs, 29 wickets, average 13.31.—Reuter.

*** A SEAT IN THE STALLS ***

I said the sparks would start to fly when I saw ALAN LADD IN A RED BERET

By LEONARD MOSLEY

ALAN LADD, from Hollywood, put on the red beret of the paratroopers and pretended to be the hero of Britain's airborne army.

Up on a Welsh mountainside at Trawsfynydd, Merioneth, director Terence Young made the opening shots for his film *Red Beret*, the story of Britain's paratroopers in Africa, Normandy, and Arnhem.

Did Mr Ladd feel uneasy as the only American (and the chief character) in a purely British war story? You would never have guessed it. He showed no signs of discomfort when he joined some real British para-

troopers (borrowed from the Army) at the mobile canteen.

He got down into a ditch alongside Leo Genn while director Young arranged the bodies of the Germans Ladd was going out to "kill."

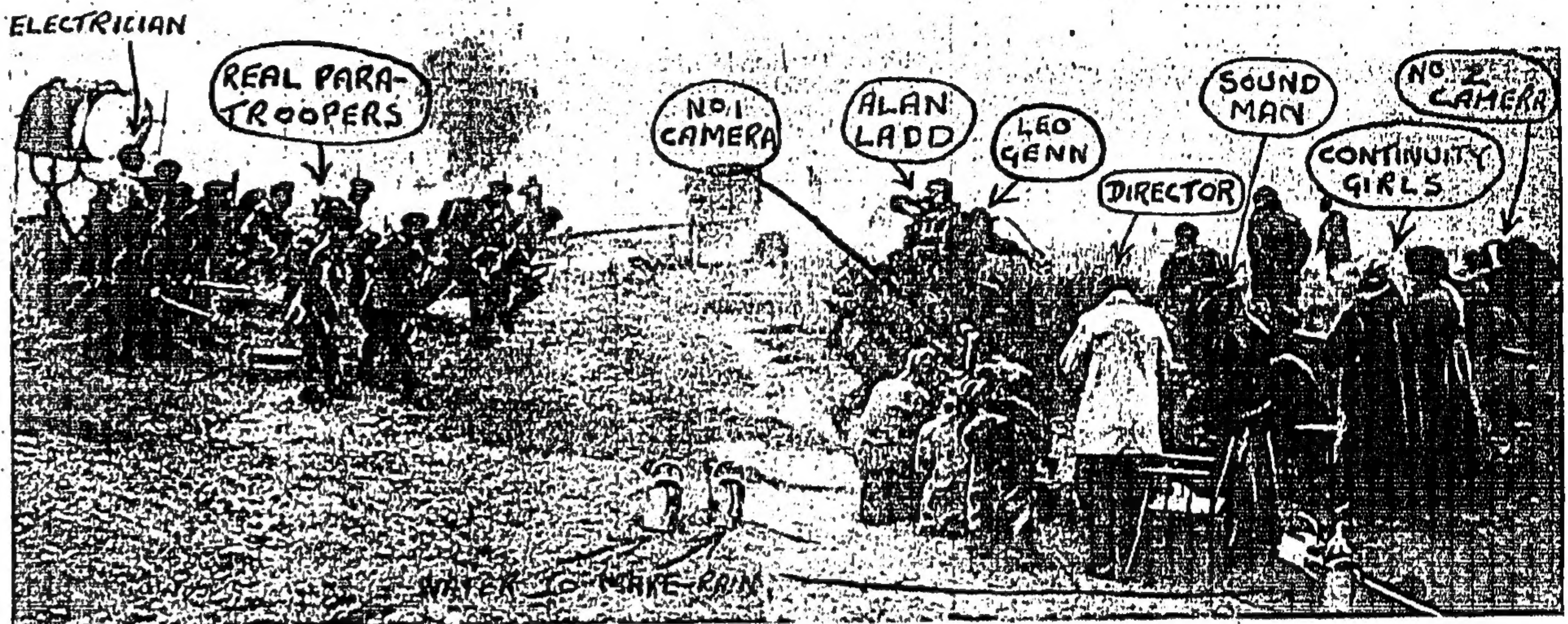
Smoke bombs began to explode, and real bullets zipped across the mountains as the real paratroopers went whooping into action.

Then the cameras swung down to Alan Ladd. He lumbered out of the ditch, gun under his arm.

And the film "Red Beret" had started. Starring Alan Ladd.



Says Ladd: "I'm not conquering anyone or any place. I'm playing an American who came to be taught how to fight."



Real bullets zip through the air, real paratroopers go into action—and so does Alan Ladd on his first day of wearing the red beret. London Express Service

Spotlight New STAR FOR FLYNN? New SHOWTIME PLANS FOR JOSE FERRER

'I CAN SING IN TUNE, I GUESS'—SO
A MUSICAL GOES ON THE AGENDA

ALL that us know about Jose Ferrer is (a) he walks on his knees; (b) he is a human dynamo—the busiest man on Broadway last year presenting—and inclined to rush around like mad in search of his theatrical Utopia.

However, when I met him recently he was (a) on his feet, and drawn up to his full 5 ft. 9 ins.; (b) very tired.

The tiredness was understandable. He had been spending the day scrubbing around the studio floor doing his chores for what, I imagine, is going to be the most famous, and certainly the most publicised, freak in motion pictures next to the Hunchback of Notre Dame. (The character he is playing, you will doubtless recall, is painter Toulouse-Lautrec).

Director Kelly himself constantly taking off his baseball cap to scratch his surprisingly semi-bald head....

And my congratulations to art director Alfred Jung, who got an Oscar for his work on "Black Narcissus," who created the castle in "Ivanhoe," but who excels himself with the beautiful plastic wine-glasses he has designed for this film.

Items on the agenda include: A prisoner-of-war comedy, "Stalag 17," to be produced and directed by Mr. F.

A play about a mentally deranged man and his vicious wife, called "The Shrike" (which is a particularly notorious sort of bird of prey), in which Ferrer starred in New York, but of which he only intends to be the guiding spirit behind the scenes in England.

A musical play with an all-coloured cast, "Cabin in the Sky," to star jazz-singer Pearl Bailey, and with Katherine Dunham doing the staging job.

A new musical—yet to be written—with the songs of the late George M. Cohan ("Yankee Doodle Dandy," "Over There"), in which Jose hopes to play the singing-dancing lead.

Lot's hope

About that musical. Was miracle-man Ferrer able to tackle a singing-and-dancing role? Said he (who had played Iago and Charley's Aunt,

Cyrano de Bergerac and, the Danny Kaye role in "Let's Face It"):

"I don't really know. I can sing in tune, I guess, but I'm not sure if I can sing real loud."

"As for dancing, I can just about manage the routine steps. Let's hope it will be all right on the night."

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★ SHOTS FROM THE SET (the Gene Kelly "Invitation to the Dance" unit at Elstree):—

The Ascot-reminiscent scene during one of the breaks as the elegantly dressed (from "Wardrobe") extras queued up round the tea-trolley to buy "cuppus" at 2d. a time....

The harassed-looking man permanently spraying the drapes with water to keep them hanging straight....

Director Kelly himself constantly taking off his baseball cap to scratch his surprisingly semi-bald head....

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Name to note

★ THE NAME is Rosemary Clooney. Age 22. Colouring, blonde. Eyes, blue. Occupation, singer—but any moment now that tag is likely to be changed into "film-star."

Miss Clooney first made a mild mark in show business with a record, "Come on-a My House," sung in a sexy squeak.

Now she is likely to get the original Betty Hutton part in the film about the Dolly Sisters, "Topsy and Eva," and is under consideration for the next Bob Hope film.

She has signed a long-term contract with a studio which promises to give her the sort of build-up that transformed Doris Day from a radio singer into a Hollywood personality.

In the meantime, Rosemary has a new record in the Top Ten—or whatever is the list that gramophone companies are always issuing.

This one is "Hotch-a-Mo," which was introduced to British audiences via the usual disc jockeys, and is another of those tantalising trifles which, pretty soon, is going to drive us all mad again.



THE GIRL FROM THE EAST GOES TO A PARTY...



Is this Mr. Flynn's new partner? For his next film, "Fire Over Africa," the intrepid Flynn will join the Foreign Legion. And negotiations are going on to get Indian star Nimmi to play opposite him. The two have met before. You see them together at a cocktail party in London. And—in the smaller picture—the same girl as she is in that Original DeMille-ish frolic "Aan."

Czechs Win International Motor Cycle Trials

Bad Aussee, Styria, Sept. 23. Czechoslovakia won the International Trophy in the six-day international motor cycle trials which ended here today.

Austria were second and Britain third. Czechoslovakia also won the Silver Vase event.

Other placings in the international trophy were: fourth—Sweden, fifth—Germany, sixth—Italy.

According to unofficial reports, the points in the trophy race were: Czechoslovakia, Ave penalty points, Austria 600, Britain 700, Sweden 950, Germany 1,407 and Italy 2,080 (These are still subject to official confirmation).

RAD LUCK HITS GERMANS The Czechoslovak team had a measure of fortune in the Silver Vase. Bad luck hit the German team during the speed tests. Hans Roth's BMW machine did not start when he

should have made his speed test and he incurred 60 penalty points.

Members of the Czech team stated: "We have no pleasure in winning the cup under these circumstances. The BMW team deserved the victory by their magnificent driving throughout the race."

The Czech team also won the factory team race with their AWA machines.

Last night the jury decided to award the stretch of the race yesterday afternoon which brought so many riders penalty points. It was held that owing to the constant heavy rain this part of the course was

worse than permitted in the rules for the race. Today's course was run in two sections and was also very difficult. Many riders gained penalty points. —Reuter.

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"HUPHAI"	Tientsin, Singapore, Penang & Belawan	10 a.m. 20th Sept.	
"FUNGING"	Singapore, Penang & Belawan	3 p.m. 20th Sept.	
"FOOCHOW"	Yokohama, Naha, Kobe & Osaka	10 a.m. 27th Sept.	
"SHANSI"	Yokohama, Naha, Kobe & Osaka	5 p.m. 28th Sept.	
"YUNNAN"	Shanghai, Keelung, Tientsin, Sourabaya & Macassar	5 p.m. 1st Oct.	
"SHENGKING"	Keelung, Tientsin, Sourabaya & Macassar	10 a.m. 9th Oct.	
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"FENGTIEN"	Keelung, Tientsin, Sourabaya & Macassar	10 a.m. 9th Oct.	
"PAKHUI"	Yokohama, Naha, Kobe & Osaka	10 a.m. 13th Oct.	
"SZECHUEN"	Yokohama, Naha, Kobe & Osaka	10 a.m. 13th Oct.	
ARRIVALS FROM			
"SHANSI"	Bangkok, 24th Sept.		
"YUNNAN"	Shanghai, 24th Sept.		
"SHENGKING"	Keelung, 24th Sept.		
"HUNAN"	Tientsin, 24th Sept.		
"FENGTIEN"	Keelung, 24th Sept.		
"PAKHUI"	Kobe, 24th Sept.		
"SZECHUEN"	Singapore, 24th Sept.		

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SAILINGS TO			
"CHANGTE"	Japan, 4th Oct.		
"ANKING"	Sydney & Melbourne, 7th Oct.		
"TAIPING"	Sydney & Melbourne, 8th Oct.		
ARRIVALS FROM			
"CHANGTE"	Australia & Manila, 1st Oct.		
"ANKING"	Kobe, 5th Oct.		
"TAIPING"	Kobe, 6th Oct.		

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Scheduled Sailings to Europe via Aden & Port Said			
"AGAPENOR"	Liverpool & Dublin, 25th Sept.		
"CALCHAS"	Genoa, London, Rotterdam, Antwerp & Hamburg, 27th Sept.		
"PYRRHUS"	Marseilles, Liverpool & Glasgow, 6th Oct.		
"BELLEROPHON"	Genoa, London, Rotterdam & Hamburg, 23rd Oct.		
"ATREUS"	Dublin & Liverpool, 25th Oct.		
"TELEUS"	Marseilles, Liverpool & Glasgow, 6th Nov.		

Scheduled Sailings from Europe			
G. "ATREUS"	Liverpool, 1st Oct.		
S. "BELLEROPHON"	do, 10th Oct.		
G. "TELEUS"	do, 18th Oct.		
S. "ALCINOUS"	do, 24th Oct.		
G. "ANTIOCHUS"	25th Sept.		
S. "AUTOLYCUS"	5th Oct.		
G. "PATROCLUS"	12th Oct.		
S. "ANCHISES"	18th Oct.		

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"HAINAN"	21st Oct.
"AGAMEMNON"	5th Nov.

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HK/Singapore (DC-4)	10.45 a.m. Tues. 8.45 p.m. Fri.	
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"BENALDER"	Japan on or abt. 2nd Oct.
"BENLAVERS"	U.K. 21st Oct.
"BENCLEUCH"	Japan 28th Oct.
"BENMACDHUI"	Japan 9th Nov.

SAILINGS

TO	LOADING ON OR ABT.
"BENCLEUCH"	Kure, Kobe and Yokohama, 27th Sept.
"BENALDER"	Direct to Singapore, thence Havre, Liverpool, Glasgow, Hamburg and Hull, 3rd Oct.
"BENLEDI"	Avenmouth, London, Rotterdam and Antwerp, 4th Oct.
"BENLAVERS"	Kure, Kobe and Yokohama, 25th Oct.
"BENCLEUCH"	Direct to Singapore, thence Liverpool, Dublin, Glasgow and Rotterdam, 28th Oct.
"BENMACDHUI"	Direct to Singapore, thence London, Antwerp, Rotterdam and Hamburg, 10th Nov.

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1. To receive and consider the Directors Report and Statement of Accounts for the year ended 31st March, 1952.

2. To approve payment of the Preference Dividend.

3. To declare a dividend.

4. To elect Directors.

5. To appoint Auditors.

6. To transact any other ordinary business of the Company.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 15th September to the 25th September, 1952, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,

WHELOCK MARDEN & COMPANY, LIMITED.

Secretaries & General Managers.

Hongkong, 3rd Sept., 1952.

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NOTICE

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONG KONG PROBATE JURISDICTION

In the Goods of JAMES ROSS, late of No. 10 Tak Hing Street second floor, Kowloon in the Colony of Hongkong, Gentleman, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Court has by virtue of Section 56 (1) of the Probate and Administration Ordinance (Chapter 10 of the Revised Edition 1950), made an Order limiting the time for creditors and others to send in their claim against the above estate to the 15th day of October, 1952.

All creditors and others are accordingly hereby required to send their claims to the undersigned on or before that date.

Dated the 22nd day of September, 1952.

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having arrived from New York and Ports of call, Consignees of Cargo are hereby notified that their goods are being landed and placed at their risk and expense into the Hongkong & Kowloon Wharf & Godown Company's godowns at Kowloon, where delivery may be obtained as soon as the goods are landed.

Optional cargo will not be landed here, unless notice has been given 48 hours prior to vessel's arrival, but carried on from port to port to the final port of call to which the option extends.

No claims will be admitted after the goods have left the Godowns, and all goods remaining undelivered after the 30th September, 1952, will be subject to rent.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on 21st September, 1952, at 10 a.m. by our surveyors Messrs. Goddard & Douglas.

To comply with the General Bonded Warehouse Regulations, consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when damaged dutiable goods are examined.

All claims must reach us before the 23rd October, 1952, or they will not be recognized.

No insurance will be effected.

JEBSSEN & CO.

Agents, Hongkong, 23rd September, 1952.

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(More Notices in Col. 8)

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"CANTON"	18th September	20th October
"CANTON"	15th October	17th November
"CORFU"	Port Said, Aden, Bombay, Colombo, Penang & Singapore	
Homewards	Leaves Hongkong	Due London
"CANTON"	20th September	27th October
"CANTON"	24th October	24th November
"CORFU"	21st November	22nd December

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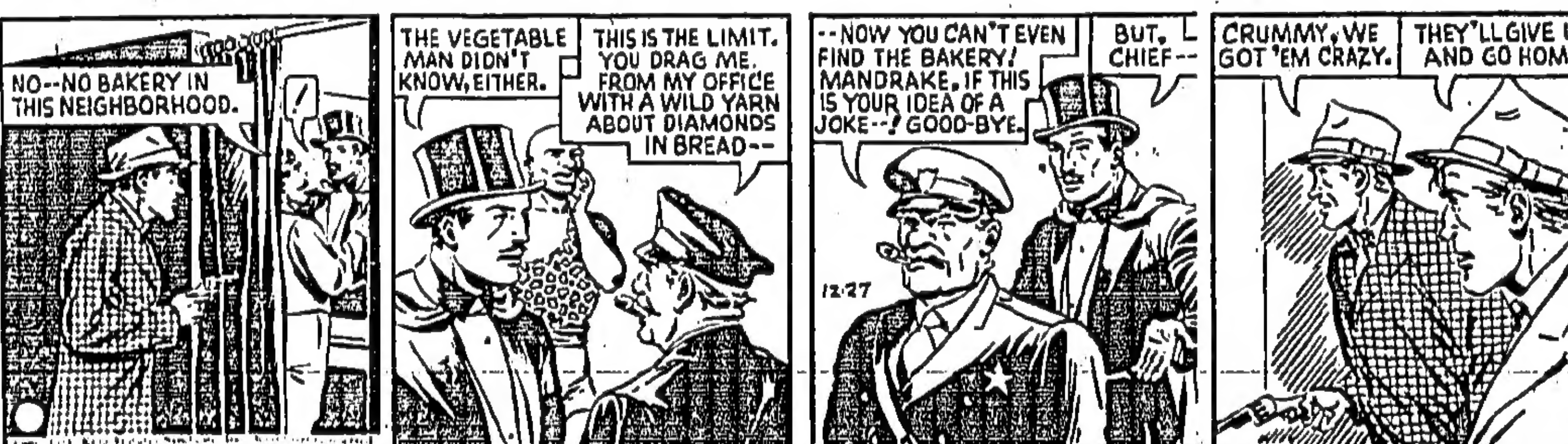
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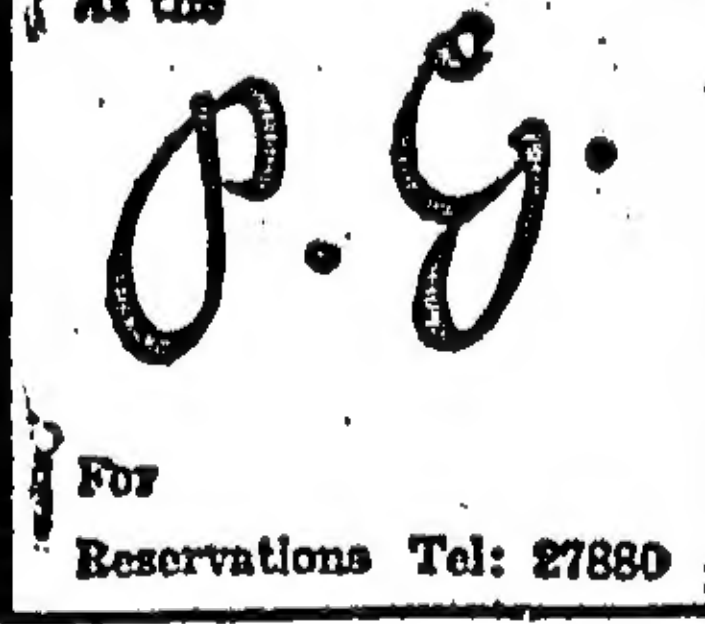
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"GRENABLE" Oct. 3	Oct. 6	N. Africa & Europe
"FALAISE" Oct. 22	Oct. 23	N. Africa & Europe
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The Rubber Markets

Singapore, Sept. 23.
Prices of rubber futures closed today as follows:

Number 1 rubber, per lb.	70 1/2-3/4
Number 2 rubber, per lb.	70 1/2-3/4
Number 3 rubber, per lb.	70 1/2-3/4
Number 4 rubber, per lb.	70 1/2-3/4
Smoked rubber, per lb.	70 1/2-3/4
Latex crepe, per lb.	70 1/2-3/4
No. 1 pale crepe, per lb.	70 1/2-3/4

NEW YORK MARKET

New York, Sept. 23.
Prices of rubber futures closed today slightly easier.

October	26.75 nominal
November	26.50 bid
December	26.25 nominal
January (1953)	26.00 nominal
February	25.75 bid
March	25.50 nominal
April	25.25 nominal
May	25.00 nominal
June	24.75 nominal
July	24.50 nominal
August	24.25 nominal
September	24.00 nominal
October	23.75 nominal
November	23.50 nominal
December	23.25 nominal
Spot	23.00 nominal

LONDON MARKET

London, Sept. 23.
Prices of rubber futures closed today as follows:

Number 1 rubber, in pence	22 1/2-3/4
Number 2 rubber, in pence	22 1/2-3/4
Number 3 rubber, in pence	22 1/2-3/4
Number 4 rubber, in pence	22 1/2-3/4
Smoked rubber, in pence	22 1/2-3/4
Latex crepe, in pence	22 1/2-3/4
No. 1 pale crepe, in pence	22 1/2-3/4

JAPANESE BONDS

Japanese bonds "A" (4% of 1930)	81
"B" (4% of 1910)	67 1/2
"C" (4% of 1907)	128 1/2
"D" (5% of 1934)	141 1/2
"E" (6 1/2% of 1930)	151 1/2
Consols	88 1/2

CANADIAN WHEAT FOR INDIA

Ottawa, Sept. 23.

Canada announced today that it would allocate \$5 million of the Colombo Plan funds in the current fiscal year to permit India to buy Canadian wheat.

India was allocated \$10 million of Canada's Colombo Plan contribution last year for the purchase of Canadian wheat.

The External Affairs Department announcement said the Government of India had requested "a larger proportion of Colombo Plan aid in the form of wheat but the Canadian authorities considered that the balance of the funds available to India should be used for the provision of capital equipment directly related to the Indian economic development programme."

The 1952-53 wheat contribution to India will be handled as it was last year, through a "counterpart fund." The Government of India will set up a fund in rupees from the sale of the Canadian wheat and this will be used for internal financing of economic development projects to be mutually agreed upon by the two governments.

Officials here said they did not know how much wheat the \$5 million would buy. It would depend on what grade the Government of India agreed to take.

Canada has contributed \$25 million in each of the last two fiscal years towards the \$5,000 million six-year plan for the rehabilitation of south and southeast Asian countries. Canada's contribution has been split between India, Pakistan and Ceylon.—Reuter.

EMPIRE ECONOMIC TALKS

Domestic Situation To Be Discussed

More Liberal Trade Policy By Japan

Tokyo, Sept. 23.
Japan is to lift its ban on exports to Commonwealth countries on October 1.
Imposed earlier this year because the Ministry of International Trade and Industry considered that sterling funds had become too large, the ban is to go because Japan's sterling balances have decreased, according to a Ministry statement here today.
The measure is part of a more liberal trade policy by Japan.—Reuter.

Rubber Importers' Complaints

Singapore, Sept. 23.

The British-owned newspaper Straits Times, in an editorial today, urged that action be taken to put an end to complaints from Japan regarding the quality of rubber she was receiving from Malaya.

The paper, however, pointed out that these complaints would not have arisen if Japanese purchasers had been made through reputable firms in Singapore.

The paper said: "If the Japanese persist in buying from unreliable peddlers, a discount below the ruling market price, they must take the risk of receiving rubber that is below the quality they would be entitled to expect if they had paid the proper market price."

The Straits Times said there was a possibility that Japan would buy more rubber from Indonesia if there were continued complaints regarding the quality of Malayan rubber.

The paper continued: "The aggravating feature of the situation is that legislative authority has been in existence for two and a half years to deal with just this state of affairs."

"The whole question of packing and shipping rubber from the Colony was examined by a Select Committee of the Legislative Council before the Rubber Packing and Shipping Control Ordinance was passed in March, 1950.
"For reasons which are not readily apparent, the measure has not been implemented. It is time that necessary rules were made under the Ordinance to safeguard the industry from a grave loss of reputation, if not something more material, through the methods of a section of packers."—Reuter.

Japanese Currency Allocation

Tokyo, Sept. 23.

Japan's October-March foreign currency budget, which has been drawn up by the Finance Ministry, covers the import of \$1,419,000,000 worth of goods and \$40,000,000 worth of services.

The draft originally made up by the International Trade and Industry Ministry asked for a total of \$1,370,000,000 but the Finance Ministry added \$30,000,000 for larger imports from the Sterling Area.

Under the proposed budget, \$55,000,000 worth of goods and \$42,800,000 worth of services will be purchased from the dollar area, \$408,000,000 worth of goods and \$3,000,000 worth of services from the Sterling Area, and \$295,000,000 worth of goods and \$13,000,000 worth of services from the Open Account area.

Final approval of the draft is expected to be given on September 25 at a Cabinet meeting, France-Press.

LONDON TIN MARKET

London, Sept. 23.

The tin market with steady at the lower levels. Turnover was 75 tons, including five tons for cash. Prices closed at the end of this official morning session as follows:
Spot tin, buyers..... 220 1/2
Spot tin, sellers..... 220 1/2
Three-month tin, buyers..... 220 1/2
Three-month tin, sellers..... 220 1/2
Settlement..... 220 1/2
—United Press.

Conference To Take Up Issue Of World Gold Price

London, Sept. 23.

The Commonwealth Governments have agreed that their domestic economic situations should be discussed equally with the external situation at the forthcoming Prime Ministers' Conference in London, a usually reliable source said today.

The source added that the extent to which the internal position of Commonwealth Governments should be taken into consideration at the Prime Ministers' talks had been discussed and agreed upon by senior Commonwealth officials.

These officials — over 50 finance and economic experts — began the preparatory work for the ministerial conference here yesterday.

Mr Lester Pearson, Canadian External Affairs Minister, asked about the Canadian attitude to the conference, said that Canada considered that the whole financial and economic situation, internal and external, must be discussed by the Prime Ministers.

The Canadian authorities had criticised the proposed conference agenda because it tended to exclude domestic, economic and financial issues from the Commonwealth discussions.

Mr Pearson understood the matter was not now in dispute. The price of gold will be discussed by the officials and also probably by one of the committees they are setting up to handle particular questions.

Committees are being appointed to study sterling convertibility, Commonwealth development and commodities, a usually reliable source said.

Other Committees will be set up later to consider relationships with the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade, the European Payments Union, the World Bank, the International Monetary Fund, and the pattern of imperial preferences. It will take some days before their functions and scope emerge.

The officials, representing nine countries, met in working groups today.

A Treasury spokesman said yesterday's plenary session, presided over by Sir Frank Lee, Permanent Secretary to the Board of Trade, was entirely informal.

Sir Frank, who is also leader of the British delegation, will also preside over most of the working parties.

No steering committee will be set up and there will be very few plenary sessions. The British delegation has given to the other eight delegations a mass of statistics and policy documents. These deal with several aspects of the financial, economic, trading, commercial and fiscal problems of the Sterling Area, of which Britain is the nucleus.

EMPIRE'S DEFICIT
The statistics and documents were prepared by the Treasury and other Ministries under the direction of their Ministers.

One of the principal reasons for the Sterling Area's deficit is thought to lie in the vast increase of capital outlay and imports of capital goods in comparison with pre-war years.

The other reason is the relative fall in the value of gold. But financial observers here feel that the price of gold is not a matter on which practical conclusions can be reached by any conference at which the United States is not present.

Dr J. E. Holloway, former Secretary for South African Finance and a world expert on the gold price question, is an African delegate to the officials' talks.

GOLD PRICE
Mr Nicholas Havenga, South Africa's Finance Minister, is understood to have summoned Dr Holloway specially to attend the London discussions.

Dr Holloway will be largely responsible for drawing up a memorandum favouring a higher price for gold.

This memorandum is expected to be submitted to the Commonwealth Prime Ministers' Conference.

The fixed official price of gold today is US\$35 an ounce. This has been unchanged since 1934 despite rising costs of all other commodities and particularly mining production.

The Commonwealth Relations Office will hold a reception tomorrow for the officials.—Reuter.

AUSTRALIAN PLAN

London, Sept. 23.

Australia's delegation to the Commonwealth Prime Ministers' Conference, which will be held in London in November-December, will stress Australia's desire to raise more capital overseas to finance essential development, an authoritative source said today.

The source added that this was one major objective which Australia was anxious to attain in the conference.

Australia has not yet submitted specific proposals but the Australian emphasis on capital for development would emerge later in the talks now being held by officials.

It was probable that a special committee would be established then to examine production and development projects in the Sterling Area as part of the long-term proposals for improving Commonwealth finance.

The Australian Prime Minister, Mr Menzies, and other Australian officials have emphasised Australia's desire for capital.

THE IMMIGRATION MINISTER, Mr Harold Holt, is pursuing in Ottawa and Washington an idea he discussed with European governments that countries interested in fostering migration from over-populated European countries should help Australia increase her capacity to absorb migrants.

His proposal is that international action should be taken to provide capital and little concrete in the way of development of essential services if Australia is to be able to restore the earlier heavy flow of migrants.

One official said today that the conference was still in the early preliminary stage and little concrete in the way of decisions was expected to emerge. The delegates were collating data. They would examine arguments for and against proposals but would not proffer definite governmental decisions.

This would be left for the forthcoming conference of Prime Ministers.

Today's agreement to permit discussion of domestic financial policies reflected the desire of all the delegations that the talks should be perfectly free.—Reuter.

HONGKONG SHARE MARKET

(From Our Correspondent)

Business done on the Stock Exchange this morning totalled \$217,455. Noon quotations and the morning's transactions:

SHARES BUYERS SELLERS SALES	
Bank	140
East Asia	148
INSURANCES	
Union	750
DOCKS	
K. Wharf	60
N. P. Wharf	600 6.75
Product	
(RIS)	60c
Shai Dock	1.25
Whitlock	0.75
LAND, ETC.	
HK Hotel	0.45 0.50 1000 0.15
	4500 0.45
HK Land	
(O) HK	49 1/2
HK Land	49 1/2
Spal Land	11 1/2
UTILITIES	
Tram	19.20 19.40 50 19.25
	4100 19.30
Star Ferry	100
C. Light (O)	0.15 0.20 100 0.20
	200 0.15
C. Light (N)	0.20 0.20 1000 0.225
Electric	22.10 22.30
Macao Elec.	10.70
Telephone	171 17.50
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To Learn From Japs
New Delhi, Sept. 23.

The Indian Government proposes to send a group of technical experts to Japan to study advanced methods of silk worm raising.—United Press.

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"VAN HEUTZ"	Oct. 20	Japan
"STRAAT MALAKKA"	Oct. 21	Japan
"MAKASSAR"	Oct. 23	Singapore, Djakarta
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"TIBUWAI"	Nov. 3	Japan
"TIBADANE"	Nov. 8	Singapore, Mauritius, S. Africa & S. America
"TIBODAS"	Nov. 9	Djakarta, Semarang, Surabaya & Macassar
"STRAAT MALAKKA"	Nov. 10	Manila, Singapore, S. Africa & S. America
"VAN HEUTZ"	Nov. 14	Singapore, Penang & Delawan Dell
"TIBUWAI"	Nov. 16	Singapore, Djakarta, Semarang, Surabaya & Macassar
"TEGELBERG"	Nov. 21	Japan
"TIBANKET"	Nov. 21	Djakarta, Semarang, Surabaya & Macassar
"TIBUWAI"	Dec. 2	Singapore, Djakarta, Semarang, Surabaya & Macassar
"TIBODAS"	Dec. 9	Manila, Singapore, Mauritius, S. Africa & S. America
"TIBUWAI"	Dec. 14	Djakarta, Semarang, Surabaya & Macassar
"BOISSEVAIN"	Dec. 16	Singapore, Djakarta, Semarang, Surabaya & Macassar
"TIWANGI"	Dec. 30	Japan
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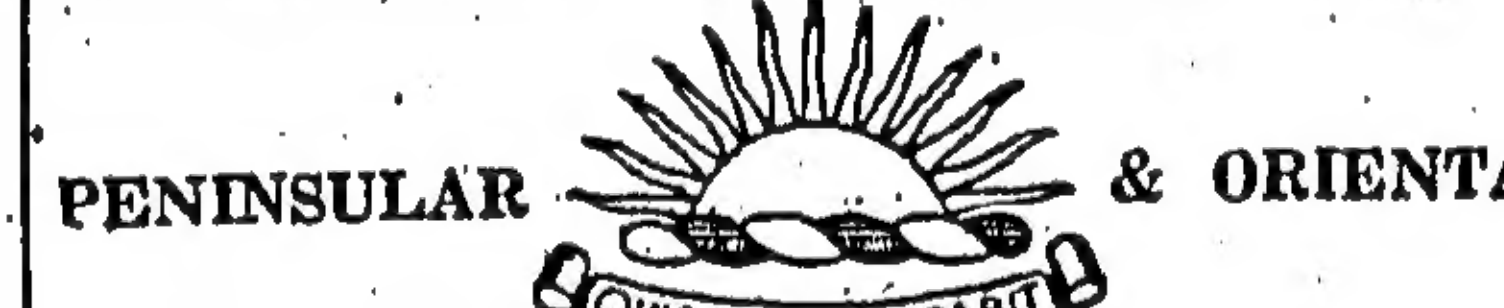
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WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 1952.

DON'T have a THIRST... have a WATSON'S



JOHN CLARKE'S CASEBOOK

Bringing Up William

THE sentence passed on William by the juvenile court in London was that he should be sent to an approved school for not less than one year, not more than three. He was 14 years nine months old, and on this, his third court appearance, guilty of breaking into premises and stealing.

After five weeks in a remand home, William was brought here to the Cotswold School, a group of attractive grey stone buildings centring on a farm, an approved school of the London Police Court Mission.

To William, coming from crowded North London, the sweeping sparsely populated Gloucestershire plain in which the school stands, must have seemed as unpleasantly alien and remote as the Sahara. All Ashton Keynes and London have in common is the river Thames, whose source is near here.

At the school—its ubiquitous crest is quartered, somewhat hopelessly, with the spur of a knight for chivalry, a red cross for mercy, a lion for courage, and a bulldog for tenacity—William was fitted at once with a comprehensive wardrobe that ranged from a suit, raincoat and three shirts, to a comb, tooth brush and two pairs of pyjamas.

William became one of 182 boys, aged 13-18, the majority committed from courts for crimes which, had they been older, would have landed them in goal.

DID William like it? "Didn't at first," William said when I asked him. "Felt a bit upset. But the other chap came up very polite and made you feel at home. Then a friend of mine came soon after me, so I had someone to play with. Thought I might as well settle down."

And, so far, in eight months, he has not put a foot wrong. Few boys do in their first six months. It takes them that long to recover from the shock of being so aggressively treated.

Up to 15-year-olds—boys at school, where the syllabus includes a subject labelled Ethics, designed, as I judged, to teach the boys that the Law that had landed them where they were was a Good Thing.

OLDER boys learn and practise trades—farming on the 350-acre estate, engineering, building, bookbinding, gardening. For their work they receive "wages" of 1s. to 2s. a week (schoolboys have 1s. pocket money).

In the evening organised activities are obligatory, and a host of clubs takes care of interests varying from stamp-collecting to Scottish dancing.

Punishment ranges from fines to cuts in the annual 24-days leave, the cane, prolongation of stay in the school, and solitary confinement, not in cells, but in Quiet Rooms. These, extremely comfortably furnished, have nursery-like decorations, and a notice saying: "If you want anything, please ring."

The theory is that the Quiet Rooms deflate the egos of toughs who control, on emerging, brag of their endurance since everyone knows their confinement has been luxurious.

THE school's staff totals 52, of whom 24 actually deal with the boys, as teachers, house-masters, specialist instructors. Some, like Mr Cyril Joyce, the head, came from the Eboral service; some from ordinary schools, some from jobs having no connection with education.

Between masters and boys there seems to exist the same kind of casual but (on both sides) guarded bonhomie you find in a preparatory school.

The two kinds of establishment have something else in common. If William leaves as, barring accidents, he should, after 23 months at the Cotswold School this part of his education will have cost at present rates (£5 4s. 6d. a week per boy) about £500. Just about what a parent would have to find to send his boy to a good preparatory school for two years.

Unless, the court that sentenced him should have ordered some small token payment.

CANDIDATE'S ELECTION EXPENSES

Eisenhower To Hear Nixon's Explanation

Washington, Sept. 23.

Mr Dwight Eisenhower tonight interrupted his presidential electoral campaign to listen to his vice-presidential running-mate explain why he had accepted \$18,000 expenses from a group of wealthy supporters.

Mr Eisenhower, due to speak in Cleveland, Ohio, delayed his speech until the audience had listened to the radio explanation by Senator Richard Nixon of his private finances.

The Senator's broadcast from Los Angeles was being piped into the Eisenhower meeting.

After the broadcast Mr Eisenhower is expected to decide whether to keep the Senator as his vice-presidential candidate or adopt another.

Senator Robert Taft was being mentioned tonight as a probable successor to the Senator if he is dropped. He is with Mr Eisenhower on his campaign train.

A White House spokesman said today President Truman asked the Attorney General, Mr J. McGranery, to look into the acceptance by Senator Richard Nixon, the Republican vice-presidential nominee, of \$18,000 in expense contributions.

Mr Truman himself has declined to comment on the political uproar created by the disclosure of the raising of the fund for Senator Nixon.

The White House press section said tonight that Mr Truman had asked Mr McGranery to "look into the matter." The request, it was reported, was made after a cabinet meeting last Friday.

The United States Justice Department has begun a study of the legality of private expense funds received by Congressmen and other public officials, an authoritative source said here today.

The study follows the controversy over the disclosure that Senator Nixon had accepted \$18,000 expenses from a group of wealthy Californians.

INVESTIGATION

Officials described the investigation now being conducted here as a "general examination" of the criminal laws affecting expense accounts and other supplemental funds received by Congressmen from private sources.

One of these laws forbids a government employee or official, including a Congressman, to receive any salary, or contribution to his official salary, from any source other than the United States government or local municipal or state authority.

The controversy over the Nixon fund has also drawn attention to the practice of other Congressmen in implementing their official salaries with income derived from lecturing, writing and similar activities.

Some Congressmen say it is necessary for many of their colleagues who have no independent means to obtain extra income in these ways.

"NO DIFFERENCE" Republican leaders aboard the Eisenhower campaign train argued today that there was "no difference" between the expense fund for Senator Nixon and a Democratic fund sponsored by Mr Adlai Stevenson.

They were referring to reports that Mr Stevenson had endorsed a fund raised in Illinois to increase the incomes of men he drew into the state government from private business.

Earlier today the American Federation of Labour Convention in New York endorsed Mr Adlai Stevenson, the Democratic candidate, as President of the United States. It was the first time that the Federation had come out in favour of either candidate since its foundation in 1881.

The Congress of Industrial Organizations has already endorsed Mr Stevenson, thus putting the two big branches of organised labour firmly behind the Democratic candidate.

The report of the Executive Council of the American Federation of Labour accused Eisenhower of "clashing to his bosom notable reactionaries," including Senator McCarthy, and said his

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A Prince Goes To School



Watched by his teacher, Miss Brita Schlyter, the six-year-old Crown Prince Carl Gustav of Sweden, in his first session of schooling, plays with two of his schoolfriends, Carl Gustaf Ekman and Erland Broman. With six other boys the young Crown Prince attends a "play-school" for two and a half hours three days a week in the Royal Palace in Stockholm. — London Express.

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Clergy And War

Sir—I feel that much damage to Peace is being done by many influential persons who, in public speeches and articles, attempt to divide war into two categories: "good" and "evil." Under "good" they list "our" cause; under "evil," that of the enemy. Not content with this outworn and erroneous theory they then take a step further, a ludicrous step at that, and assume that God works for our cause only. Surely it is time to break away from such irrational and harmful ideas, and the first step might well be that of ceasing to pretend that War is a glorious thing—something to be commemorated with pomp and ceremony. ALL who take an aggressive part in war are war criminals; but by far the most dangerous criminals are those in political and clerical ranks who believe that war is justified, providing our part in it consists of "defence" only. What a ghastly myth this word now represents! How can any government honestly declare that the present jet-paced build-up of army and atom bombs is for a non-aggressive purpose?

It is understandable when politicians and military leaders show little moral conception; but for the clergy to associate themselves with the "dories" of war, appears to my simple mind, to be quite contrary to their mission in life which is, I believe, to demonstrate: by word and deed the will and teaching of God—not the advocacy of malice and mass murder.

EX-SERVICEMAN, (1839-1945)

Not Guilty Of Conspiracy

New York, Sept. 23.

Two of 15 second-string Communist leaders were found not guilty of a conspiracy today by Federal Judge Edward Dimock, who granted a motion to direct the jury to acquit them.

They were the first of 27 Communist leaders tried in this Federal Court to be found not guilty on charges of conspiring to teach or advocate violent overthrow of the government.

Judge Dimock ruled that the Government had failed to implicate Simon Gerson, 41, former Daily Worker editor and former aide to a City Council member, and Isidore Begun, 40.

The action came after days of argument on a defence motion which asked for verdicts of acquittal for all 15 defendants. Motions for dismissal of the indictments against and acquittal of the other 13 defendants were denied by the Judge.—United Press.

FAMILY OF 15 EMIGRATE

London, Sept. 23.

Mr Albert Watson, a Suffolk farm worker, offered a job in Australia, dumped his suitcase on the Liverpool quayside today, made sure his 30-year-old wife was present, and then called the family roll.

Only when all his 13 children had answered did he give the order "All aboard for Australia."

Mr Watson's is one of the biggest families ever to emigrate to Australia. With his farm goes a 12-roomed house for his family.

The farmer he is to work for is sending three cars to meet the Watsons ship, the Somersetshire, when she docks.—Reuter.

LIVED ON IMMORAL EARNINGS

Wong Chi-cheung, alias Tun Lo-ze, 34, of 51, Austin Road, was sentenced to three months' hard labour by Mr K. Y. Yeung at Kowloon this morning for living on immoral earnings.

Detective Sub-Inspector Buckingham said that at 7 a.m. yesterday the Police raided the Lung Hua Hotel, Jordan Road, and in a third floor room they found seven Chinese women relaxing. They said they were prostitutes. In the room the Police found two books containing the names of ten girls, and also the name of the accused with his telephone number.

The accused was discovered in another room in the hotel, and gave his address as 51, Austin Road, Kowloon. The Police went there and found 14 boxes of shoes and six handbags.

The accused admitted that five of the seven girls were working for him. Enquiries revealed that he took 40 per cent of their earnings. Half of these he retained and the other half went to boys and amahs in the hotel.

Accused told the Court that he had previously been a trader, but business was now bad and he had met three dancing girls who asked him to introduce them to some of his friends. He said he did this as it was the only way of making a living.

OAG Visits Hospital

In these days of man's inhumanity to man, Government looks with sympathy and appreciation towards the charitable work done by the Tung Wah group of hospitals, said HE the Officer Administering the Government, the Hon. R. B. Black, OBE, when he paid an annual inspection visit to the Tung Wah Hospital this morning.

The OAG described the Tung Wah Hospital as the oldest and probably the best known Chinese charitable hospital in the Colony. He said that since the war there had been a great demand on hospitals and the pressure on the Tung Wah had been severe, which made its work of "tremendous importance."

His Excellency was received by Mr Lee Ying-fang, chairman of the Board of Directors, who announced a large building proposal for the coming year.

Five Buried Alive

Dhambad, India, Sept. 23. Five men were buried alive when the roof of a mine in the Jharhwa colliery of Bihar province, collapsed during the week end.

Only one of the bodies has been recovered.—Reuter.

Indonesian Govt's Appeals Set For December 8-12

Notice that the Indonesian Government were not proceeding with their application for a stay of an action against the ss Tasikmalaja was given by Mr D. A. L. Wright before the Full Court, comprising the Chief Justice, Sir Gerard Howe, and the Senior Puisne Judge, Mr Justice Williams, this morning.

Mr Wright, instructed by Wilkinson and Grist, appeared for the Government of the Republic of Indonesia, and asked the Court to fix dates for the hearing of appeals against decisions given by Mr Justice Reece, Puisne Judge.

Mr Brook A. Bernacchi, instructed by Mr M.A. da Silva, represented Juan Ymael and Co., Inc., of Plaza Goffi, Manila, who are claiming possession, as sole owners, of the Tasikmalaja (formerly known as the Christobel and the Hokenkula).

Mr Charles E. Loseby, instructed by Stewart and Co., appeared for Anthony Loh, trading as A.W. King, of Room 9, mezzanine floor, Telephone House, who has a claim against the Tasikmalaja for \$25,588 for ship's necessities.

On Tuesday last, September 16, the Full Court granted an application made on behalf of the Government of the Republic of Indonesia to stay all further proceedings in two Admiralty actions concerning the Tasikmalaja, now lying under arrest at Kowloon Docks.

Addressing the Full Court this morning, Mr Wright said: "My Lords, we have instructions from the Indonesian Government not to proceed with the application for a stay of this action on the conditions indicated by your Lordships at the last hearing of this motion. We have, however, instructions to proceed with two appeals in this case and we request your Lordships to fix a date now for the hearing of these appeals."

Mr Bernacchi: I would ask for costs of this motion and under the circumstances I would ask that costs be payable forthwith on taxation and not in an event.

Mr Loseby: I make, my Lords, a similar request.

TWO APPEALS

Continuing, Mr Wright said there were two appeals in each case—one against the decision of Mr Justice Reece on the question of the immunity of Mr Kwee Dile-hoo (Indonesian Consul-General) and Major Pomeroyardjo (Indonesian diplomatic courier) from cross-examination, and the other against the judgment of Mr Justice Reece dismissing the Indonesian Government's motions on pleading. Counsel said he was instructed that argument on the appeals would take at least three days.

Mr Bernacchi remarked that he could not see the appeals finishing in anything like three days. He thought they were more likely to take five days or a week.

Mr Wright said the fact that the substantive action would proceed now took away the urgency for the fixing of an early date.

The Full Court suggested that the appeals be heard from December 8 to 12, and Mr Wright agreed. He said that with the hearing of the action proceeding, the ship would be gone in any event, but the Indonesian Government wished to vindicate their position.

Counsel also said he had been instructed to ask that the question of costs in the motion be reserved as it was bound up with the other proceedings. There was also the question to be decided of whether a claim for costs could be made against a Sovereign state which pleaded that it had been implicated and was not subject to the jurisdiction of the Court.

Their Lordships agreed to reserve the question of costs and ordered that the motion for a stay of proceedings be dismissed. Mr Bernacchi asked for an early hearing of an application for security of costs. The matter was adjourned pending a communication with the Indonesian Government.

INTELLIGENCE TEST SOLUTION
The number of possible distributions is 104,856. The latest posting times elsewhere, which in general are earlier than the G.P.O. times, can be ascertained by enquiry at the local office. The latest posting times for registered articles are generally on a later date than the times shown below. Particulars regarding parcel mails can be ascertained by enquiry at any post office.

Tsun Wan Disaster 12 STILL MISSING

No further bodies have yet been recovered since the Tsun Wan disaster on Monday night when an overflow from a catchment partially demolished a village on the hillside, but 12 people are still reported to be missing.

By this morning 500 people, representing 135 families, had registered with Social Welfare officers as being victims of the disaster, and they will be screened today.

Half of the displaced are workers in factories, and their livelihood is unaffected, but the other half are agricultural workers, who, for the time, have been made unemployed.

This morning the Social Welfare Office despatched clothing and cooking utensils to help the victims and these are being distributed by the Tsun Wan Rural Committee.

Radio Hongkong

H.K.T. 0.00, Programme Summary: 0.02, Children's Story—"Said the Cat to the Dog" No. 2 "Vision" (BBCFS), 0.00, Forces Bandstand (Concert Hall) Concert by the Band of the 1st Batt. Middlesex Regiment by kind permission of Lt. Colonel R.W. Owen conducted by Mr F. A. Jackson; 7.00, "Lucky Dip" Variety Requests presented by Marguerite (Studio); 7.20, Weather Report; 8.00, Time Signal, World News and News Talk (London Relay); 8.10, Vocal Recital by Jan Hu (Tenor) with Piano Accompaniment by Moyna Rea (Concert Hall); 8.30, Orchestra of the Week—"The Boy Next Door" (Studio); 9.00, Neil McCallum in "The King of Scots" by Robert Kemp; produced by James Cransey (BBCFS); 10.30, Dancing Time; 11.00, Radio News Reel (London Relay); 11.15, Weather Report; 11.16, Goodnight Music; God Save The Queen; 11.30 Close Down.

SIDE GLANCES By Galbraith



"He says he's a million miles up in space and he can't hear you calling him for dinner."

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